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ROLL OF HONOUR. (1914-1918). IN MEMORIAM.

ALLEN—In fond and loving memory of Arthur Crawford Allen, Black Watch, who was killed in action on the Somme 19th October, 1916, second beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, Allendale, Highfield rd., Rathgar, Co. Dublin. "Not gone from memory, not gone from love, But gone to his Father's Home above."

BEARD—In loving memory of Lewis D. Mansergh Beard, Staff Lieutenant, Machine Gun Corps, who paid the supreme sacrifice for his King and country on 19th October, 1916.

CAMPBELL—To the dear and ever-present memory of Captain Charles M. G. Campbell, R.A.M.C., who died, while on active service, in France, 19th October, 1918. "Faithful even unto death."

BIRTHS.

COULTER—October 5, 1923, at Denmark House, Lower Leeson st., Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Coulter, Carlow, a son.

FYNN—October 15, 1923, at 7 Haddington tce., Kingstown, to Mr. and Mrs. Fynn, a daughter.

NUTT—October 16, 1923, at Belfast, the wife of Constable Nutt, R.U.C., a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

COKE and ERSKINE—At Metropolitan Church, Regina, Canada, by Rev. H. W. Avison, B.D., R. Norman Coke, B.Sc., Winnipeg, son of late E. F. Coke, Mandeville, Jamaica, B.W.I., to Bertha Josephine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Erskine, formerly of Ballina, Co. Mayo.

SIMPSON and KIERNAN—October 3, 1923, at Rosiville Methodist Episcopal Church, Newark, N.J., U.S.A., by the Rev. Karl Quimby, John William, second son of the late John Simpson, Clonshambo, Kilcock, Co. Kildare, to Mary (Maucie), eldest daughter of Thomas and Mrs. Kiernan, late of Knockbrack, Oldcastle, Co. Meath.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 4.

ATKINSON—October 17, 1923, at Ballina, Co. Mayo, Harriette Forbes, widow of Edward Eastwood Atkinson, and third daughter of the late Thomas Atkinson, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals.

CUMMINS—October 18, 1923, at Woodville, Glanmire, Cork, Professor William Edward Ashley Cummins, after a short illness. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) from Woodville, at 10 a.m., for Little Island Church. No flowers, by request.

DALY—On Thursday, October 18, 1923, at 15 Iona Park, Glasnevin, Josephine, the darling child of James and Agnes Daly, and niece of Rev. William Gwynn, S.J. R.I.P. Funeral (private), after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Saturday) to Glasnevin.

DYKES—October 18, 1923, at 55 Aughrim st., suddenly, Elizabeth Sarah, widow of the late Alexander Dykes, Dublin, aged 62 years. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing children. "Thy will be done." Funeral private.

FitzGIBBON—October 14, 1923, in London, Mabel Anna FitzGibbon, of 37 Stephen's rd., Tunbridge Wells, wife of Maurice FitzGibbon, M.B., late of 10 Merrion square, Dublin.

HERBERT—October 17, 1923, at her residence, Church st., Enniskillen, after a brief illness, Mary Teresa, dearly-beloved wife of Richard Herbert, aged 58 years. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and children. R.I.P. Requiem Mass in St. Michael's Church, Enniskillen, at 11 o'clock a.m. to-day (Friday). Funeral immediately after to Catholic Cemetery, Enniskillen.

LEGGETT—October 17, 1923, at Cold Ash, Newbury, suddenly, Colonel Charles G. Leggett, late 1st Battalion the King's Own Royal Regiment and 102nd Regimental District, in his 82nd year.

MacDONNELL—October 18, 1923, Charles Randal Armstrong MacDonnell, D.L., of Montore, Bray, eldest son of the late Colonel Armstrong MacDonnell, of Newhall, Ennis, and the Honble. Mrs. MacDonnell, of 65 Dartmouth square, Dublin.

OLIVER—October 16, 1923, at a London Nursing Home, Rose Vernon, daughter of the late Colonel J. H. Warden, Madras Staff Corps, and wife of J. A. Westwood Oliver, late of Glasgow.

ROGERS—October 17, 1923, suddenly, Reginald Arthur Percy Rogers, M.A., Fellow of Trinity College, Dublin, aged 49, at 142 Leinster rd., Rathmines, Dublin.

TELFORD—October 18, 1923, at John's Mall, Birr, Richard Telford, aged 86 years. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday), 2 p.m.

TICKELL—October 17, 1923, at 5 De Vere Gardens, London, W. 8, Marie Louise Tickell, daughter of the late Auguste Come Marrien Mouillot, of Elm Park, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin.

WOODS—October 17, 1923, at his residence, 54 Donnybrook, John Woods, ex-R.I.C., dearly-beloved husband of Bridget Woods. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral from Sacred Heart Church, Donnybrook, this (Friday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin Cemetery.

IMPORTANT.—As announcements for this column, if posted on Saturday, cannot reach this office in time for Monday's paper, they should be sent by telegram.

IN MEMORIAM.

DEANE—In ever-present memory of our darling Sarah Victoria, who was called Home on Sunday, October 19th, 1919. "Oh, teach me from my heart to say: 'Thy will be done.'"

FROOD—In precious memory of our beloved mother, Jane Nixon Frood, who passed away October 19th, 1922. Sadly missed by E. and N.

GORMAN—To the memory of Robert Gorman, whose regretted death occurred on the 19th of October, 1915.

HORNER—In unfading memory of my beloved mother, Rosanna Horner, who died October 19th, 1915. "Tis but a little while."—Alec.

McCULLY—In loving memory of Joseph B. McCully, who died at his parents' residence, 101 Inchicore rd., Saturday, 19th October, 1918. "To live in the hearts of those we love is not to die."

McINTOSH—In loving memory of Fred, darling husband of Nellie McIntosh, called to Higher Service October 19th, 1922. "We loved thee well, but Jesus loved thee best."

SMITH—In ever-loving memory of darling Muriel, who fell asleep in Jesus October 19, 1918, at "Altona," Blackrock.
The morning bright, with rosy light,
Shall wake our loved one from her sleep.

SODEN—In loving memory of my darling, devoted husband, Major Charles William Soden, Manchester Regiment, who died October 19th, 1922.

STRONG—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband, John Strong, Moatfield, Athy, whom God called Home 19th October, 1922. "Until the day break and the shadows flee away."

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IN THE GOODS OF ELIZA JANE GILLESPIE, of Drumcarn, in the County of Cavan, who died on 26th March, 1922.

TO ALL CONCERNED.

Take Notice, that after the expiration of eight days from the date of publication hereof, I will apply for Probate of the Will dated 28th September, 1921, of the said Deceased, unless a Caveat be filed in the meantime with the proper Officer, King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, at the Law Courts, Dublin.

Dated 18th day of October, 1923.

W. A. PARKE, Solicitor for Executor, 22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin, and Clones.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 34 AND 35 VIC., C. 102, SEC. 16.
RE ELIZABETH URWICK, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Elizabeth Urwick, of Edmond road, Clevedon, Somerset, who died on the 30th June, 1922, by her Will, proved on the 5th October, 1922, in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice in England by Florence Kathleen Urwick, of 9 Eldon road, Hampstead, London, spinster, gave certain legacies to Alice Conolly and Beatrice Archer during their respective lives, and on the death of the survivor of them gave the sum of £100 to the treasurer for the time being of the York street Congregational Church, Dublin, for the general purposes of that Church.

Dated 12th October, 1923.

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JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk-Secretary.

18th October, 1923.

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PERCY A. HAY, Secretary.
Broadstone Terminus, Dublin,
18th October, 1923.

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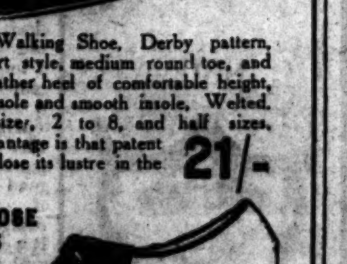

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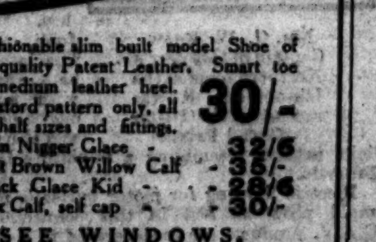

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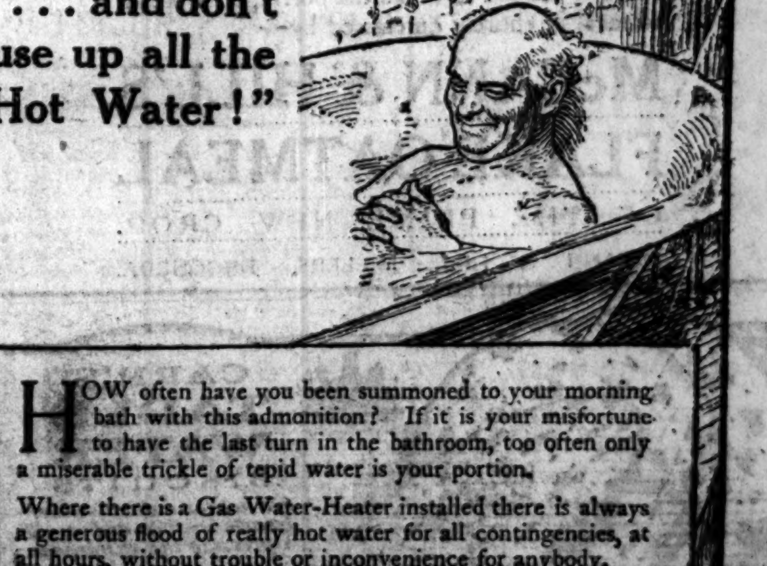

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AT Olympia Cycle and Motor Cycle Show—Mr. A. R. Wayte and Mr. A. Wayte will be in constant attendance all this week at Stand No. 65, John Marston, Ltd., and Stand 66, New Imperial Cycles, Ltd. T

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MOTOR CYCLES AT OLYMPIA.

SUCCESS OF THE PRICE-CUTTING POLICY.

(By A Special Correspondent.)

The bold policy of price reduction followed by motor cycle manufacturers has met with success. The Motor Cycle Exhibition opened, after a prolonged period of industrial depression, which had inevitably affected the sales during the 1923 season, and to counter such conditions machines were improved and prices were cut.

The attendance at Olympia each day since the show opened on Monday has been remarkably good, not only in numbers, but in other respects, for it has included a large proportion of actual buyers, apart from interested inquirers and spectators. There are in London just now many visitors from the Dominions, where the British motor cycles have established a firm reputation, and so wide is the variety of machines on show that there is scarcely a requirement in the way of light two or three wheeled transport which cannot be met. The Continental countries also have been well represented among the buyers, and even countries where depleted currency values exist have sent orders for machines. Affairs appear to have been equally good in the case of cycles, and the British built pedal cycle is more than holding its own in the four quarters of the globe.

Irish Interest.

At several stands good inquiries from Ireland were reported, and a number of Irish motor cyclists have attended the show. In view of transport difficulties and Customs regulations, there was a natural disposition on the part of Irish riders to place their orders with the Dublin agents, several of whom are at present at Olympia. Among the Irish representatives and agents seen on the stands at the show yesterday were Messrs. F. A. Aldridge, of the B.S.A., Dublin Branch; Frank Waller, W. G. Wilkinson, J. Armstrong, A. R. Wayte, A. A. Wayte, R. Stevens Porter, J. J. Kelly, J. Garland, McDowell Elson, and T. J. Wood. Sir James Percy was also present, as were also Mr. J. Garville, the well-known Irish rider, and Mrs. Stanley Woods, the winner of the race this year.

Mr. Stanley Woods.

Feminine interest has been mainly directed to the light-weight machines, many of which are now fitted with two or three speed gears, as well as a clutch and kick starter, the latter fittings being almost necessary details in the case of such machines, which are, as a rule, ridden by those who, being new to motor cycling object to the "push and run" or the pedalling method of getting off.

Cheap Lightweights.

Many machines made by different firms have the same type of engine of 1½ h.p. of the two-stroke type, and in this respect a beginning has been made towards the standardisation of motor cycle parts. Various machines up to 12 h.p. have their different uses, but the 1½ h.p. machine has proved itself capable of good service, and has come to stay. In this class come the Francis-Barnett, Sun Junior, Hobart, O.K., Wolf, Sirrah, and at least half a dozen others. All have proved themselves capable of exceeding a hundred miles on a gallon of petrol, and are priced as low as £25.

In the class with engines of from 2½ to 3 h.p. there are machines efficient enough for every purpose, and there are several of the higher power fitted with sidecars. Prominent in this division are the Raleigh, the 2¾ h.p. model being one of the finest machines in the show, while the 3 h.p. combination will do all that a 6 h.p. machine of a few years ago could accomplish.

The Rover 2¾ h.p. has been so successful that the makers are concentrating upon that one model for the 1924 season, and it is undoubtedly a soundly designed and well-finished machine. The Calthorpe Company, on the other hand, are producing no fewer than five different machines, which are in many respects similar, but have different engines: Villiers, Blackburn, J.A.P., and Calthorpe two-stroke and four-stroke are the power units available.

Open Frames.

A new Enfield machine has an open frame for ladies' use, with a 2¼ h.p. two-stroke engine. This machine has the advantage of providing a frame which is sufficiently of the "open" variety without looking awkward or sacrificing strength. It is also turned out as a standard machine, while the popular 2¾ h.p. model and the larger sidecar models are also included in the Royal Enfield programme.

The Humber 2¾ h.p. light-weight touring machine, which played so prominent a part in the competitions of 1923, is shown in several forms. It is to be known as the "Six Days" model to mark its success in the six-day trial of the A.C.U. It is a soundly designed and well-finished machine, with no freak parts. Chain drive is employed, the back brake being of the dummy belt rim type and the front an internal expanding hub pattern.

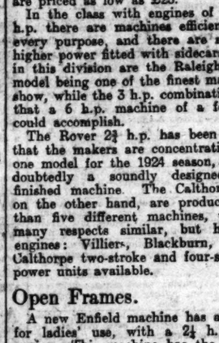
The 350 c.c. Douglas will be produced in five models, as follows:—(1) Belt drive generally similar to present model; (2) two-speed, with flywheel, clutch, kick-starter, deep section mudguards, and aluminium footboards; (3) a similar machine, with all-chain drive and electric lighting equipment; (4) a generally similar machine, but with three speeds; (5) a fast touring machine, with an engine fitted with overhead valves.

The 600 c.c. model will also be produced in 1924, with overhead valves and three speeds, and mainly the same as the machine which won the sidecar T.T. competition.

The Lewis machines for 1924 will include the single-geared model, which will be substantially the same as at present, while other models will have two and three speeds respectively.

Four-Valve Engine.

The new Rudge 2¾ h.p. machine is one of the novelties of the Show. It has a four-valve engine, chain drive, mechanical lubrication, electric lighting set, and a four-speed gear-box. As a speedy touring mount the new machine is a good example of advanced design. The Rudge programme will also include the 3½ h.p. Multi and 3½ h.p. four-speed with 4 valves, and the Rudge 7-9 h.p. twin four-speed. The latter will be available with a touring side-car.



Mr. J. W. Shaw, Captain of this year's Northern team in the Isle of Man. He was second in the Ulster Grand Prix, and also with a light pattern resembling a miniature tapered Zeppelin.

Electric lighting for motor cycles is making rapid progress, and in this connection the C.A.V. products are incorporated in a number of specifications of good machines, and the policy of quoting an inclusive price for all fittings is growing. Departures from what has come to be recognised as the orthodox are few, and the weird-looking sidecars which have found their way to the stands of former shows have disappeared in favour of capacious, but lightly-constructed, bodies of neat design, and strongly rather than luxuriously upholstered.

The Smallest Machine.

A feature of the Show is the large number of machines rated at round about 3 h.p. or under. The largest machine is the 12 h.p. A.C.E., with a four-cylinder engine; while the smallest is the Clement, with an engine rated at ⅘ h.p. The latter is strangely reminiscent of the old Clement produced about eighteen years ago, when attempts were first made to popularise the light-weight. The new machine, however, is vastly more efficient, and its engine, which is of the four-stroke type, has proved remarkably trustworthy in actual use. So far as the big twins are concerned, the British machines are abreast of the times for those who favour that type of mount, and one of the new models at least is expected to lower some of the existing records.

British Tyres.

It speaks volumes for the popularity of British tyres—and of Dunlops, in particular—that at this year's Show, of a total of 1,786 tyres fitted to motor cycles and light cars exhibited, 1,020 (57.11 p.c.) were of Dunlop manufacture, as were 122 (81.87 p.c.) of the 149 belts. There were 1,429 cycle tyres fitted to machines exhibited, and of these 1,115 (or 78.02 p.c.) were also from the Dunlop range.

GOVERNMENT AND MARCONI.

MR. GODFREY ISAACS'S REPLY.

Mr. Godfrey C. Isaacs, managing director of Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company, in a letter to *The Financial Times*, refers to the Postmaster-General's statement at the Economic Conference, in which he dealt with cables and wireless and the negotiations between the Post Office and the company. Dealing with the negotiations which had been going on, Mr. Isaacs points out that the Government's declaration of policy was that, while private enterprise was to be allowed to conduct wireless services with the Dominions, it was necessary in the interests of national security that there should be a wireless station in this country capable of communicating with the Dominions and owned and operated by the State. This station would be available for commercial traffic as well as for service messages. "The interpretation which the Post Office would appear to have put upon the Government's declaration of policy," continues Mr. Isaacs, "is that the station to be erected in the interests of national security should be employed mainly in the conduct of commercial services. Consequently, in the negotiations with the company a means was sought by which the Post Office station would secure a full proportion of the Dominions traffic.

"It was not until the company saw the draft agreement that it was in a position to come to a decision in regard to the pooling arrangement. As soon as we saw the cumulative effect of the various conditions desired by the Post Office it became obvious to us that these conditions made it impossible for us to secure either the commercial or technical success of the services.

"If the Postmaster-General will consent to a pooling agreement under which the company shall manage its own business, a contract can be signed within a very few days; or if he will grant to the company the non-exclusive licence for which they have applied there need be no delay in negotiations and the company's stations would be proceeded with forthwith and open for service well before the end of next year."

CHARGE AGAINST R.I.C. PENSIONER.

Before Mr. Collins, K.C., at the Dublin Police Court yesterday, James J. Brennan, an R.I.C. pensioner, was charged with being drunk and disorderly on the previous night. On the previous day Mr. Lupton made an order that defendant should contribute £2 a week towards the maintenance of his wife and three children, whom he was charged with neglecting. The accused was remanded, to appear before Mr. Lupton to-day.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

KEEPING WARM.

UNDERCLOTHES AND DIET.

SOME women feel the cold more than others. They are naturally chilly mortals; they seem to shrivel up at the slightest bite of frost in the wind; they "hug" a fire when they are indoors, and out of doors they muffle themselves up until they resemble the traditional furry bear. But these people seem to forget that it is quality, not quantity, which counts, and that a few really good woollen garments are much better than a number of weighty ones. They do not seem to realise that weight is not warmth. They pile on one extra garment after another until they have no energy or vitality left, and then wonder why they still feel cold.

Light, warm woollies are the ideal wear, and in this respect the knitted dresses, cloaks and jumpers (which many have got so tired of) and the fine, cosy Shetland undies are the joy and solace of chilly mortals.

Though clothing is certainly the first consideration, it is advisable to pay attention to diet also, and to eat plenty of nourishing food, especially fat and starchy foods, such as bacon, porridge, sugar, cheese, suet puddings, eggs, and plenty of butter. But be careful not to over-eat nor to take too much rich food. It only upsets the digestion and makes you feel the cold more than ever.

Neither is it wise to take a hot drink immediately before going out, as doing so is liable to lead to dilatation of the skin blood vessels, which increases the loss of heat from the surface of the body. When coming indoors out of the cold, however, a hot drink is both comforting and beneficial.

Then, exercise is another important aid to warmth. Chilly mortals must move about as much as possible to improve their circulation. Vigorous exercise when rising, quick dressing, sharp walks during the day, moving about the house briskly between duties, romps with children are a few ways and means that commend themselves.

When bedtime comes wear a long-sleeved nightie, preferably of Shetland wool. (I have seen some charmingly pretty ones of fine white Shetland in a lacy design, threaded with pink satin ribbons; so you cannot possibly banish woollen nighties on the ground of "homeliness.") A hot jar is, of course, a great comfort, though some people think it makes the feet more liable to cold the next day. Anyhow, if you put a large extra blanket over the eiderdown, not under it, and then tuck the blanket in all round, you will find yourself quite warm and cosy, no matter how cold the night.

Madeline Quin.

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CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

THERE are fair, mild days in October, sunny days, when the earth eagerly receives the last warmth of the year. There is some curious affinity between these days and the days of Spring; the sunlight bears the same soft radiance, the very leaves on the trees resemble the early leaves. They take on that strange translucent green that was their colour in Spring, that vivid life-bearing green—except that now it is a token of death. If one turns a street corner suddenly on some October day one may see, too, a swaying clump of yellow in the arms of some flower girl. For all the world from afar they seem to be a basket of daffodils. Their yellow heads toss and dance in the sun with the light and grace of Spring. But as you pass you hear her call, holding a few from out the mass: "Fourpence a bunch, chrysanthemumus; fourpence a bunch."

These Autumn flowers have a strange pungent odour. They have no scent—the scented flowers of the Summer are gone. In Germany and Austria chrysanthemumus are looked on as flowers of death. These people consider them as almost unlucky. They would hardly use them in a room. But they bring them to the graves of the dead, and on the eve of All Souls they are carried in thousands to the great cemeteries of the capital, so that there appears to be a veritable feast of chrysanthemums on that day. They are associated, too, with Japan. One imagines that country to be the true land of chrysanthemums.

But I have seen them in Dublin growing almost wild. Looking out of a back window the other day, I saw a yellow mass of flowers near some houses further down. On inquiry I heard that these were chrysanthemums. They were growing in all their splendour up the sides of an ashpit. Brown and gold and yellow pink they are—all the colours of dying leaves—and white besides.

Marguerite.

This dressing gown is of peach-coloured flannel, relieved with silver and peach shot ribbon.

FOR THE COOK.

MARMALADE PUDDING.

Ingredients.—Five ounces breadcrumbs, half pint milk, two eggs, two ounces castor sugar, two tablespoonfuls marmalade, two eggs, one ounce butter.

Method.—Warm the milk, pour over the breadcrumbs, add sugar, butter, beaten eggs and marmalade, which must be melted. Turn into a well-greased mould, cover with buttered paper, and steam for one hour. Allow to stand a few minutes, and serve with marmalade sauce.

MARROW AND APPLE CREAM.

Ingredients.—Four pounds young vegetable marrow, one pound apples, three pounds sugar, half pound butter, three lemons.

Method.—Grate the rind of lemons, add the juice. Boil or steam the marrow and apples separately. Stand marrow to drain for 12 hours in a colander, then add the sugar, lemons and apples. Beat together till of a thick consistency, then put all into a clean preserving pan and heat up, but do not let it boil. Put into jars, and tie down like jam. This is a delightful filling for sponge sandwiches and pastry.

GINGER CREAM.

Ingredients.—Three yolks of eggs, one ounce castor sugar, three gills milk, one gill cream, half gill ginger syrup, half gill water, three ounces preserved ginger, three-quarters ounce gelatine.

Method.—Make a custard with eggs, milk and sugar; add the ginger, cut into small pieces. Dissolve the gelatine in the syrup, add water, and strain into the custard. When cold and nearly setting stir in the whipped cream. Put into a mould, and decorate with jelly and pieces of ginger and angelica.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

BISHOP'S EXHORTATION AT DUBLIN MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Women's Work branch of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts was held in the Molesworth Hall, Dublin, yesterday, there being a large attendance.

The Bishop of Tuam, who presided, said that it gave him great pleasure to take part in the meeting. If there was one thing more than another needed at the present time in the Church of Ireland it was to let their minds and hearts go out to people in other lands.

He thought that they were far too much taken up with their own troubles, and one of the best cures for them was to pray and work for the Church and the advancement of Christ's Kingdom in other lands. He prayed that more enthusiasm and zeal in the cause of foreign missions might be stirred up amongst them.

Miss Gregson, who spent ten years working as a missionary in the Diocese of Osaka, Japan, gave a most interesting account of the zealous and admirable work done by missionaries in spreading the Gospel amongst the Japanese.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather.—Fresh S.E. wind in the forenoon, veering to S.W. in the afternoon; overcast and showery.

Foreign Arrival—Ilmenau, of Hamburg (639 tons register), Captain Hillmann, from Hamburg, with a general cargo, discharging at Transit Shed, Custom House quay.

Coastwise Arrivals—Cato, from Bristol, with goods; Aysgarth Force, from Liverpool, with goods; Katherine, from Liverpool, with flour; Clareisland, from Liverpool, with empties; Wern (sch.), from Connah's quay, with scrap iron; Ben Seyr, from Saundersfoot, with coals; Jessie Summerfield, Lancashire, Aquilla, and Mary Summerfield, from Garston, with coals; Walsat, from Newport, with coals; Normand, from Harrington, with coals; Point of Ayr, from Point of Aire, with coals; Nugget, from Ayr, with coals; Southwick, from London, via Belfast, with goods; Neptune, from sea, tug.

Coastwise Departures—Deangate, for Liverpool, with goods; Aughton, for London, with porter; Clarecastle, for Liverpool, with porter; Thelma, for Fiel, light; St. Mungo, Cameo, Harrier, The Sultan, and Halton, for Garston, light; Glenageary, for Partington, light; Mayflower for Ormeshead, light; Cairngorm, for Llandulas, light; Lady Brassels, for Liverpool, light; Wythburn, for Whitehaven, light; Puffin, for Trevor, with coals; Miriam Thomas, for Liverpool, light.

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Much larger supply of store cattle and, although bidding was slow at this sale, most of the lots were sold at about last week's prices. Most transactions were about 37/- to 38/- for horned bullocks and 38/- to 40/- for pollies, with one lot at 43/-. Smaller cattle made 34/- to 36/-.

The Metropolitan examinations of musical composers, performers, and teachers are held at the Royal Academy of Music, London, during the Summer, Christmas, and Easter vacations. Successful candidates become licentiates of the Academy and are entitled to the use of the letters L.R.A.M. after their names. Particulars of the forthcoming examinations may be had from the secretary, Royal Academy of Music, Marylebone road, London, N.W., 1.

A Reuter's Melbourne message states that the dispute between the Metropolitan Opera Company and its employés, who have been on strike since Monday, has been settled.

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MURDER OF SIR H. WILSON RECALLED.

A PRISON INTERVIEW.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Thursday.

Mr. John Harvey, who claims £4,000 for wrongful deportation and imprisonment, gave further evidence at the Irish Deportees Compensation Tribunal, consisting of Lord Justice Atkin, Sir F. Taylor, K.C., and Sir H. Fraser, at Winchester House, St. James's square, today.

Replying to Mr. Merriman, K.C., he said that in June, 1921, when the then secretary of the Irish Self-Determination League was deported, he, on the recommendation of Mr. MacDonald, solicitor, took on temporarily the duties of secretary. Since early in 1922 he had no official connection with the League.

He described the conditions in Mountjoy as insanitary, grimy, and dirty, and said that the food sent in parcels was sometimes held up so long that when it arrived it could not be used. Scarcely a night passed in which there was not intermittent shooting.

He had an interview with Mr. O'Keeffe, the Deputy Governor, over a telegram to Mr. Sanders which had been altered by the Governor's clerk.

Mr. O'Keeffe asked did he realise that he was a prisoner. Witness replied that he was a British internee, interned by order of Mr. Bridgeman, and that Mr. O'Keeffe was only his jailer.

Mr. O'Keeffe said: "Do you see that form? You refuse to sign it, and, therefore, you believe in murder and violence." Witness replied that Mr. O'Keeffe was a deliberate liar to put such an interpretation upon his efusal to sign the form. Mr. O'Keeffe drew a revolver and said: "Get back to your cell or you will get the lead." Witness admitted that he was not too polite to Mr. O'Keeffe.

Cross-examined by the Attorney-General, who asked whether his sympathies were pro-Treaty and against the Republicans, the claimant said that he was a democrat, and he believed that a Democratic Government made for peace and security. He did not care two pins if the Irish people had two Unionist Governments in Ireland.

Do you tell the Tribunal that you have no idea what is referred to in the sentence, "Horrible deeds recently committed by the body styling themselves the Irish Provisional Government?" My opinion is that they were referring to the shootings and fighting going on in Ireland, but as to which one of the five Governments were doing it do not ask me to apportion blame. I believe that there were horrible deeds committed all round in Ireland.

Answering Lord Justice Atkin, Mr. Harvey said that the sentence referred to the executions and imprisonment taking place.

Witness later stated that he had no sympathy with murder, or arson, or the destruction of property. His view was for peace and stability. He never wanted the King of England eliminated.

Would you be prepared to take the oath of allegiance to the King. I would. Why not?

Witness also said that he remained a member of the Roger Casement Club until his subscription expired. He signed an undertaking to work actively for the recognition of the Irish Republic. He only attended meetings of the club on special occasions.

The Attorney-General read a minute of the club, wherein the secretary was instructed to send loving remembrances to Mr. and Mrs. Dunn and the family of O'Sullivan, their own two special heroes, and asked whether Dunn and O'Sullivan were not the murderers of Field-Marshal Wilson.

Witness said that he knew the two men in a professional way. He felt that both of them were unfortunately dupes, who were led to commit this most regrettable thing. He had very strong feelings over the whole matter.

Did you, in June, 1922, try to get a job from the Irish Free State? I was approached by a Minister from the Free State. I made inquiries as to the nature of the work expected of me, and said that if there was no friction between the parties I would be willing to undertake it. That would be about June 20, and fighting started on June 28 or 29. I did not want to have hand, act, or part with either side while this strife was going on.

But not having got the appointment in June you signed the undertaking of the Casement Club to work actively for the recognition of the Republic? I only attended about two meetings.

Re-examined by Mr. Merriman, witness said that in June, 1922, at a meeting of the Sinn Fein Club, at which about 80 to 100 members were present, he advised his compatriots to accept the Treaty as the best way of accepting the situation.

Dr. Morley, in answer to the Attorney-General, said that he could see very little the matter with Mr. Harvey's general health, except as regards catarrh. He did not think he had tuberculosis.

The Attorney-General said that he should ask the tribunal to come to the conclusion that Mr. Harvey was one of those men who were actively engaged in the Republican cause in this country. Mr. Harvey was present at a meeting of the club at which the old form of membership was scrapped as not being sufficiently anti-Free State, and in a resolution passed by that club the murderers of Sir H. Wilson were described as their own special heroes, and the Irish Republican soldiers who had been executed were treated as martyrs.

He should ask the tribunal, in view of Mr. Harvey's association, to say that Mr. Harvey had no right to claim or obtain general damages for his internment, although the actual form of internment was contrary to law. He thought it was a case in which very small damages would be sufficient.

Mr. Merriman said that Mr. Harvey was still out of employment, and his prospects of earning an honest livelihood would not be improved by statements of this sort.

The decision was reserved.

In the case of Mr. Thomas F. O'Sullivan, Parliamentary journalist, and formerly London Editor of the *Freeman's Journal*, who claimed £5,000 compensation, Mr. Merriman, K.C., said that the *Freeman's Journal* was now, he understood, a Free State paper. Mr. O'Sullivan was its representative in the Lobby of the House of Commons, and was also its London News Editor. It appeared from the correspondence that Mr. O'Sullivan had had his position kept open for him for some time, but when it was found that he was not putting in an application to the Advisory Committee their patience became exhausted, and the post was filled. He was still out of employment.

Mr. O'Sullivan said that he had been employed by the *Freeman's Journal* for over thirteen years before his arrest at £546 a year. As a result of his imprisonment he would now have to go back to a subordinate position, with a reduction in salary of about two guineas a week.

He refused to sign the form, because he regarded his arrest as an abominable outrage, for which there was not the slightest justification. Another reason for not signing the form was that it would be regarded as an admission of guilt. As regards applying to the Advisory Committee, there was a tradition in Ireland that bodies of that kind were absolute creatures of the Executive. In this case it was set up by the chief culprit in the transaction, the Home Secretary.

Replying to Mr. Giveen, Mr. O'Sullivan said that he was a member of the Irish Self-Determination League, which had never been suppressed, and of the Roger Casement Club. He was strongly in favour of a Republic, and always had been. He might have altered particular passages in the literature of the Self-Determination League, but he was in favour of it, provided the means to be employed to achieve the object in view should be through ordinary political propaganda.

Adjourned.

A SEAMAN'S INJURIES.

In the case reported yesterday under the above heading, it was inadvertently stated that Messrs Norris Goddard and Davidson appeared for the applicant, Michael Bolger. Messrs Goddard and Davidson appeared for the owners of the ship Manistee.

One of the most prominent agriculturists in the North of Scotland, Mr. W. T. Sproat, of Borgue House, Borgue, died yesterday morning from the effects of injuries sustained in an attack by a three-year-old Ayrshire bull. Mr. Sproat was 77 years of age.

MICHAELMAS LAW TERM.

COURTS TO RE-OPEN NEXT WEEK.

Michaelmas Law Term opens on Thursday next, and it is certain that the Judges of the High Court will be in their places as usual. There is a large volume of business to be dealt with. The new Courts of Justice Bill has got little more than half way through the Dail up to the adjournment on the 12th inst. When it has been passed by the Senate the month of November will have been well advanced. Meantime it is necessary that the urgent law business of the country shall not be neglected.

DAIL EIREANN CIRCUIT COURTS.

The Circuit Courts, under the Dail Eireann Courts (Winding Up) Act, 1923, will go out on the 8th and 12th November next, the circuits being divided as follows:—

November 8th—Thurles, Wicklow, Waterford, Clonmel, Maryborough, Carlow, Naas, Nenagh, Tullamore, Roscommon, Leitrim, Mayo and Galway.

November 12th—Clare, Limerick, Kerry, Cork, Sligo, Meath, Westmeath, Louth, Monaghan, Cavan, Longford and Tyrconnell.

AN OFFICIAL COURTS SEAL.

Chief Commissioner J. Creed Meredith, K.C., has designed a seal, which has been adopted by the Dail Eireann Courts (Winding-Up) Commission, as the official seal of that body, and will be used to emboss all documents to be judicially noticed by all the courts; and all decrees, in order to be enforced, will have to receive this seal, as well as being registered. The design is of Celtic pattern, the centre being taken from an old Celtic mirror, with modifications, symbolic of the scales of justice. Surrounding the centre piece are words in Gaelic, which translated mean, "The Dail Eireann Winding-Up) Commission." The die stamp has been executed by the firm of Edward Johnson, jewellers, Grafton street, Dublin.

There are over eight thousand decrees or court orders awaiting registration in these courts.

INSURANCE POLICY QUESTIONS.

At a sitting of the Dail Eireann Courts (Winding-Up) Commission, in Court No. 1, Dublin Castle, yesterday, before Mr. Commissioner Devitt and Mr. Commissioner Power, the cases of Redmond, Purcell and Dawson v. the Irish National Insurance Co., were listed for hearing. Two were appeals by J. M. Redmond and Emily Purcell against decisions of the District Courts, in which the Irish National Insurance Co. was the defendant, and the other was an appeal by the Irish National Insurance Co. against a decision of a District Court, in which Josephine Dawson was the plaintiff. The cases were in respect of claims in connection with life insurance policies.

There appeared to have been some grave misunderstanding as to the date of hearing, and the Court fixed Monday next for the hearing of all the cases.

Mr. Nolan Whelan (instructed by Messrs. Novk and O'Reilly) appeared for the plaintiffs, and Mr. Cawley (instructed by Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) for the Insurance Co.

In consequence of the improvement in his health, M. Jounsart, the French Ambassador at the Vatican, has consented to continue in office.

NORTHERN HOUSE OF COMMONS.

CRITICISM OF PREMIER'S STATEMENT.

PUBLICANS' EXEMPTION ORDERS.

In the Northern House of Commons yesterday, bills were introduced to continue certain expiring laws and to amend Section 29 of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1919, and Section 7 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, in their application to Northern Ireland, and to consolidate and amend the law relating to Trade Boards.

Mr. William Coote tabled the following motion for consideration on the 25th inst.:—"That, in the opinion of this House, the provisions of the Education Act (Northern Ireland) in relation to the transfer of schools or otherwise, the qualification and appointment of teachers, and the financial arrangements of the Act, are unsatisfactory, and require to be revised; and that in the meantime the Ministry of Education shall not enforce the Act in respect of these matters."

REGISTRATION.

Mr. Lynn asked the Minister for Finance whether complaints had reached him about the unjustifiable delays that were taking place in connection with the registration of titles; whether he was aware that grave inconvenience was caused to farmers and others, and whether the Government would take steps with a view to removing this grievance.

The Minister for Finance said that land registration was a service reserved to the Imperial Parliament, and therefore his Ministry was not responsible for any delay that might have occurred. The work of the central office was considerably hampered for many months by the failure to transfer from Dublin those records which Furthermore, the staff of the office had only within the last week or two been brought up to strength owing to differences of opinion between the Judiciary and the Imperial Treasury as to the actual staff required for the work. He hoped that the delays would now gradually disappear.

EXEMPTION ORDERS.

Mr. Lynn asked the Minister for Home Affairs whether the police have informed certain publicans that they are not to act on exemption orders issued by magistrates sitting in Petty Sessions Courts, and whether he can state who is responsible for the action of the police in this matter.

The Minister for Home Affairs said that, by direction of the Ministry, the police warned publicans who had been granted exemption orders that they would render themselves liable to be prosecuted if they acted under them. The whole question had since become *sub-judice*, and, pending the decision of the Courts, he was not prepared to make any further statement.

Mr. Lynn asked if it was usual for the Executive to give directions to people not to pay any attention to orders given in the regular courts.

Sir Dawson Bates said he could not now discuss the matter. He regarded it as a proper thing for the police to indicate, in a friendly way, what penalties might be involved by taking certain action.

Mr. Lynn said that he would raise the question of the adjournment, but subsequently stated that, as there was a big constitutional question at stake, and as the Minister for Home Affairs had stated that a case was pending, and that a decision would be given in a few days, he asked leave to postpone discussion on the subject until a later date.

THE PREMIER'S SPEECH.

On the motion for the adjournment, Colonel Woods referred to the Prime Minister's speech at the reassembling of Parliament. The speech, he said, was remarkable, not so much for what the Prime Minister said, but for what he did not say. He made no reference to the possibility of amendment of the Licensing Act or the Education Act. Outside the House the Prime Minister had referred to the abolition of proportional representation, and this was not mentioned in his statement.

He would suggest to the Prime Minister that arrangements should be made to extend the same facilities for increasing trade to the linen industry as had been made in regard to shipbuilding. The linen trade was now in a serious position, and several of the larger firms had to go on half-time. With regard to housing, arrangements, he suggested, should be made to enable new houses to be free of taxes for ten years. If proportional representation were to be abolished, he suggested that the number of members should be doubled.

He also referred to the continuance of restrictions, such as the Curfew regulations; while the imposition of Sunday closing, he said, was keenly resented by many former supporters of the Government.

Mr. Thompson Donald mentioned that there was just the possibility of a falling off to the extent of some 2,000 in the numbers employed in the shipyards in Belfast.

SIR JAMES CRAIG'S REPLY.

The Prime Minister said that there were only two points of substance raised by Colonel Woods. One was in regard to the extension of their assistance to the linen industry, through the Trades Facilities Act. Perhaps, he might read to the House what he had said. It was—"Our Trades Facilities Act has gone a long way also to help in certain directions, and my right hon. friend the Minister for Finance and the whole of his colleagues are always prepared to take into consideration further extensions of these facilities where anything possible can be done to revive trade." That covered the linen industry and all the industries inside Northern Ireland.

The second point of substance that Colonel Woods raised was in regard to the remission of rates during a certain period on the new houses. These were his (the Prime Minister's) words to the House:—"There will be a Housing Bill under which it is proposed to give effect to the promise made by the Minister of Home Affairs for the payment of a lump sum subsidy, of £60 on each small house built between October, 1922, and the date on which the loan subsidy ended, 1st January, 1926." The bill also (and this was his point) made provision for empowering the local authorities to refund rates in respect of such houses up to such proportion and for such a period as may be fixed by them generally for their districts; that gave exactly the power Colonel Woods asked for.

If Colonel Woods was trying to join issue with him in regard to Sunday closing, he could only say when the time came to invite the electors of Ulster to decide on what the Government had done he would be prepared to join issue with him on the subject of Sunday closing. (Cheers.)

Referring to the amount of work in Belfast shipyards, the Prime Minister said he had the assurance that, as far as possible, the number of persons employed in Messrs. Harland and Wolff's works at present would be maintained throughout the winter months. He knew well the great difficulties that there were in the shipowning and shipbuilding industries, and if the Government could do anything to promote the possibility of a couple more ships coming to either yard in Belfast they would do everything in their power by extending the Loans Guarantee Act or in any other way to bring this about and find work for the men in their midst.

The House then adjourned until next Tuesday.

BILLIARDS.

SMITH v. FALKINER.

At yesterday's first session at Birmingham the champion further improved his position. His incomplete 194 Smith ran to 317, with subsequent breaks of 90, 76, 195, and 261 (unfinished). Falkiner's best efforts were 69, 47, and 275. Interval scores:—Falkiner (rec. 1,500) 4,822; Smith, 4,567.

Smith took the lead towards the end of the evening session, and finished up 77 ahead. He made his suspended effort into 349, and afterwards had 237, 165, and 101 (unfinished). Falkiner's best runs were 150 and 90. Closing scores:—Smith (in play), 6,334; Falkiner, 6,257.

STEVENSON v. INMAN.

Yesterday's play in this exhibition game at Leicester square, London, left Stevenson with a commanding advantage in the afternoon with breaks of 407, 177, 68, and 69. Twice he averaged 49 against 16 by Inman, whose only break of note was 155. At night, however, Inman found something of his old form, and was seen to advantage while compiling 324, 161, and 85. Stevenson's best efforts producing 73, 165, 123, and 48. Closing scores:—Stevenson, 4,941; Inman, 3,845.

DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

INSPECTOR'S REPORT ON EXPENDITURE.

SUGGESTED REFORMS.

The Dublin County Council was summoned to meet yesterday to consider the report of Mr. S. Murphy, Local Government Inspector, who investigated its affairs recently, but a quorum did not attend, and the proceedings were adjourned until next Tuesday.

Mr. Murphy, in his report, says that owing to the complex nature of the relations between the County Council and its subsidiary bodies it is difficult to draw an accurate line as to where the County Council can be called to book for extravagant expenditure, and where the subsidiary bodies are responsible. At least half of the Council's expenditure is money supplied on demand to other bodies, and the Council has "little or no control over it." To his mind, there can be little satisfaction until the present confusion is removed and some real power over expenditure is given to the Council or some central body.

He is satisfied that, in spite of weakness in dealing with certain problems, and a failure to work seriously the recommendations of their own Committees, appointed at various intervals to inquire into expenditure and the checking of it, the County Council has not failed in their duty, and had at times, though apparently without whole-heartedness, tried to grapple with their money difficulties.

He proposed that the following steps should be taken at once:—

(1) Inquiry by the County Council into organisation of Surveyor's department, with special reference to supervision of road-work by the Assistant Surveyors.

(2) The organisation of records in such a manner as to ensure that the County Council or Committees of the Council should always have before them a clear and simple statement of the County Council's financial position, and a comparison between expenditure to date and the estimate.

(3) "A stiff attitude towards any attempt to exceed the rates," it being their aim to eliminate carrying forward deficits of expenditure which should properly be borne by the year in which they were incurred.

(4) The appointment of a Committee to consider what steps should be taken to bring about an exhaustive inquiry into the estimate which would be submitted for the coming year.

It had been stated, says Mr. Murphy, that the last sanction for road expenditure in excess of limit was dated September 19, 1921. That sanction was for one year only. It was "a matter for surprise" that a responsible body could, in face of their knowledge that the Ministry had written that letter, proceed, contrary to a section of the Local Government Act, of which they were aware, to approve of certain road proposals. It showed "an attitude of carelessness on the part of an official, and a toleration of that carelessness by the Council." He could not, however, take the view that the failure to secure the Ministry's sanction at the proper time was serious enough to justify drastic action against the rate.

LABOURERS' WAGES.

The County Surveyor did not think that his estimates were big enough to supply good roads. The figures showed a big increase for 1921-22, due to wages. In 1914 the wages were 15s. a week, and in September, 1920, they rose to 58s., which was much above that paid to farm labourers. That, Mr. Murphy points out, was one of the principal grievances of the Farmers' Association.

He was not satisfied that a charge of extravagance brought home against the subsidiary bodies could in any way be a case against the County Council, who felt that they were obliged to pay the sums set out in the estimates of the subsidiary bodies.

Until the present machinery was altered and the obvious overlapping of the work between county councils and district councils remedied, full satisfaction could not be given to the commendable efforts of Ratepayers' Associations to reduce the heavy burdens of the rates.

In conclusion, the Inspector mentioned that counsel for the Farmers' Association had, on their behalf, at the Inquiry, suggested—(a) State aid for main roads, and (b) reduction of roadmen's wages. In regard to the latter, the question of wages was "now a general one affecting, not only the county council, but every employer." It could, however, be considered in connection with the suggested inquiry into the organisation of the Surveyors' Department.

MINISTER'S LETTER.

In transmitting the report to the County Council for consideration, the Minister of Local Government says that the most serious criticism of the Council's methods has arisen in connection with their expenditure on the upkeep and maintenance of roads. From the viewpoint of the Council, the responsibility for the expense was urged to fall mainly on the local district councils. The Minister, however, felt that he should draw attention to the fact that ultimate control rested with the County Council, who appeared to have in the past too readily accepted proposals emanating from district councils, particularly in relation to extra works not included in the estimates.

The County Council should require the most definite particulars regarding such proposals and their pressing importance before authorising the Surveyor to proceed with them.

Particular attention was drawn to the employment of additional road workers "to give extra employment," from which, it appeared, a compensating output was not obtained. It seemed evident that there was "a very definite necessity for the reorganisation of the surveying staff." The Minister also states that where the various matters referred to in the report have received due attention the inquiry will have served a useful purpose, "and he is now prepared to give his formal sanction to such reasonable overdraft."

BOOKS OF THE WEEK.

Owing to extreme pressure on our space, the "Books of the Week" have been held over until to-morrow.

GALWAY JURY'S VERDICT.

JUDGE'S SCATHING COMMENT.

When a jury at Galway Quarter Sessions returned a verdict of not guilty in a case in which a woman was charged with the theft of a mirror, or, alternatively, of receiving it knowing to have been stolen, the judge said, "I would be wanting in my duty if I did not say that in my deliberate opinion it is a lamentable verdict. It is your verdict, not mine."

The mirror was alleged to have been looted from Castlehackett House which was destroyed by fire in January. It was found in the accused person's house, two and a half miles from Castlehackett. The defence was that it had been left there one night in March by some men who said that they would call for it later.

STATIONERY OFFICE OFFICIAL RETIRES.

On the occasion of his retirement from the Stationery Office, Mr. H. E. Pitman, the former Superintendent, was yesterday presented by his colleagues with a silver tea and coffee service and tray, suitably inscribed. In making the presentation on behalf of the staff, Mr. J. Houlihan, the Controller, spoke of Mr. Pitman's kindly qualities of heart and the general regret felt at his departure, coupled with the best wishes for his welfare in his retirement. Mr. Pitman was afterwards entertained to dinner by his colleagues at the Moira Hotel, when a pleasant evening was spent.

CHINESE EMIGRATION TO CANADA.

OTTAWA, Thursday.

Mr. J. E. Featherstone, who is at present Secretary to the Minister of the Interior, has been appointed Controller under the Chinese Immigration Act, with his headquarters at Hong Kong. Mr. Featherstone is to go to China to superintend regulations regarding the emigration of Chinese to Canada.—[Reuter.]

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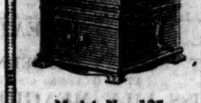

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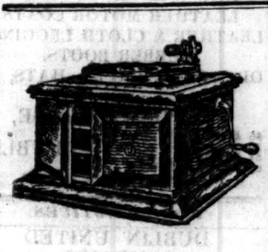

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POLICE PENSIONS.

APPEALS FROM MINISTRY'S DECISION.

The Civil Service Committee (Compensation), under the Chairmanship of Mr. Justice Wylie, sat at 24 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, on Wednesday, and heard a number of appeals from the Ministry of Finance on questions arising under the 1920 Act (Schedule 9) with reference to the compensation payable to members of the Dublin Metropolitan Police on retiring from the service.

The first question was whether a constable who had elected to accept the terms offered by the Dublin Metropolitan Police Order, 1922, could now revoke his election, and accept the terms of the previous orders.

The Committee decided that this was not a question of law properly referable to them under the Act of 1920, and, being a matter of policy, was entirely one for the Government.

The second question was with reference to the allowances to the men for boots, clothing, special duty, etc., and whether or not these were pensionable.

The Committee decided that it being enacted under the 9th Schedule (Rule 2) that the annual allowances which the officer or constable would be entitled to should be calculated in like manner as the pension which he would have been entitled to receive if he retired for length of service; and as under the Orders settling the pension which he would have been entitled to receive for length of service these allowances were not pensionable they could not be included in the calculation for the pension which he was to receive on retirement in consequence of the change of Government.

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TAILLTEANN GAMES.

The General Council of Aonach Tailteann is anxious to get in touch with potential visitors to Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, and South America, with a view to helping the Tailteann Games Organisations in these countries. The Secretary will be glad if anyone who can assist in this respect will communicate with him at 15 Parnell square, Dublin.

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1923.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

A more hopeful view was taken in Dublin yesterday of the docks strike. The Chairman of the Port and Docks Board, in suggesting at yesterday's meeting that there should be no discussion on the situation, said that he had been working for peace for fifteen weeks and thought that there was now peace in the air.—(Page 7.)

The final report, just issued, of the Departmental Committee on the cost of living in Northern Ireland states that there is no marked difference as between food prices in Northern Ireland and Great Britain, but that in the case of fuel and clothing British prices are lower.—(Page 7.)

The Local Government Inspector who inquired into the financial affairs of the Dublin County Council has recommended several reforms with a view to better control over expenditure.—(Page 3.)

In the Northern House of Commons yesterday Sir James Craig said that the Government was prepared, if necessary, to extend the scope of the Trade Facilities Act, and that under the new Housing Bill local authorities would have power to exempt houses from rates.—(Page 5.)

Lord Carson, addressing a Unionist Labour gathering last night in Belfast on unemployment problems, asked them not to be led away by catch-words and phrases or imagine that it was by some particular gospel put into two or three words that the unemployed question was going to be solved. It was not by one particular remedy, but a conglomeration of various expansions in different directions, that could alone solve it.—(Page 6.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

A meeting of the local panel committees of England, Scotland and Wales in London yesterday unanimously rejected the Government's terms of remuneration for panel doctors.—(Page 5.)

ABROAD

Mr. E. Root has been offered the post of United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James's.—(Page 5.)

King Alfonso is to visit South America next spring.—(Page 5.)

The Saxon Premier declared in a sensational statement yesterday that the Reich had a secret army of "hundreds of thousands."—(Page 5.)

SPORTING.

At Newmarket yesterday Puttenden won the Lowther Stakes.—(Page 8.)

Papyrus did a gallop yesterday morning. His form impressed the critics. The price has shortened to 6 to 5.—(Page 5.)

Reich and Ruhr.

The cry of "Wolf!" has been heard so often from Germany that people are slow to understand that to-day the Reich really is in the gravest peril. Danger is threatened from two directions. In the first place, the crisis between Saxony and the Reich has become so acute that civil war is almost in sight. The Berlin Minister for Defence has sent an ultimatum to the Dresden Government calling for the immediate disbandment of the Socialist "Centuries," or bands of irregulars, and the Saxon Premier has ignored it completely. The Central Government has fifteen battalions of Reichswehr in readiness to march on Dresden, the Saxon frontier with Prussia is virtually closed, and the greatest tension exists throughout the country. Saxony's Government is strongly socialistic, with a decided leaning towards Communism. Dr. Zeigner, the Premier, has stated that the ultimatum from Berlin was despatched as a result of pressure by the Bavarian Government, which is, of course, violently opposed to Socialism; and he has shown his defiance both of Berlin and of Munich by his appointment of Herr Böttcher, his Communist Minister for Finance, as Saxony's representative on the *Bundesrat*, or Federal Council. A complete deadlock seems to have been created and Bavaria is preparing to support Prussia in the event of a struggle. Anything in the nature of an armed conflict not only would smash German solidarity to atoms, but would put a swift end to the Allies' hopes of reparations.

The second source of danger is the Ruhr. Passive resistance has been abandoned by an official decree of the Berlin Government; but most of the mines and factories are still idle. The German Government's subsidies to the workers will cease to be paid on next Sunday, and after that time the Ruhr will be face to face with starvation. Herr Hösch, the German *Chargé d'Affaires* in Paris, called on M. Poincaré on Tuesday, and told him that negotiations between the French and German Governments concerning the resumption of work in the Ruhr were urgently essential. The Berlin Government, he said, could not finance any further deliveries in kind from the Ruhr, and, unless some agreement was reached between the two Governments, a terrible condition of affairs would be precipitated next week. M. Poincaré refused to discuss the situation in the occupied areas with the German Government, and told Herr Hösch that its failure to finance deliveries in kind would be regarded by France as a deliberate continuance of passive resistance. He added that he would not sanction the discussion by the Reparations Commission of any "eventual" German proposals concerning the larger issue of the indemnity until he was convinced that passive resistance had come to a definite end. This rebuff has caused the greatest dismay in Germany, and Herr Stresemann's organ, *Die Zeit*, is hinting broadly at a repudiation of the Treaty of Versailles.

Starvation in the Ruhr must lead to the establishment of a separate Rhenish State under the ægis of France; for hunger is a stronger force than patriotism. French policy from the very outset has been directed towards that end, but neither Britain nor Italy can afford to encourage it. Herr Hösch suggested to the French Premier that negotiations should be opened between Germany and all the Allies, and in this suggestion lies the only way out of a situation which soon will be intolerable. The Treaty of Versailles was not a treaty between France and Germany alone. All the Allies, and the United States of America, were signatories, and it is high time that they should have some voice in the solution of the present problem. Britain's policy is still very obscure. The Marquis Curzon made an important speech on the subject to the Imperial Conference, but the bowdlerised version of his statement which was published gave no clue to the Government's intentions. The Reparations Commission has retired into the background, the League of Nations is dormant, and everybody seems to be waiting till somebody else does something. Nearly five years have passed since the last shot was fired on the Western Front, and the condition of Europe to-day constitutes a scathing commentary on civilised statesmanship. A Bismarck or a Beaconsfield, each in his own way, would have settled the reparations problem in a month.

The Cost of Living.

The Northern Ministry of Labour has issued its Committee's final report on the cost of living. It is a moderately phrased and judicious document. The comparisons are between prices in Northern Ireland and in Great Britain, and we get the impression that the Six Counties have escaped more lightly than the Free State from the scourge of the "profiteer." The Committee's *interim* report detected "no marked difference" between food prices in Northern Irish and in English towns. This statement the final report now qualifies with the remark that, while the middle class standard of food prices is about the same in both countries, the poorer classes in Great Britain have some advantage. Perhaps Belfast, like Dublin, is suffering from a multiplicity of small and struggling retailers. Fuel is dearer in Northern Ireland than in Great Britain, and there is a slight excess also in the cost of clothing and miscellaneous articles. On the other hand, the report finds that Northern Ireland continues to be more fortunate in the important matter of rents and rates. This is one of the gravest items in the cost of living in Southern Ireland, and especially in Dublin, where the combined burden of rent and rates is a large factor in the depression of industry and the creation of unemployment. The report estimates that a further all-round decrease of two *per cent.* would bring the general cost of living in Northern Ireland back to the level where it stood in July, 1914. The Committee advises the Northern Government to take an early census which will include an inquiry into the extent and character of housing accommodation. It recommends an investigation of the price of gas in Northern towns, and asks that railway and steamship companies shall be urged to reduce their fares and freights, and that petrol shall not continue to be dearer in Northern Ireland than in Great Britain. A further proposal is that the Northern Government shall publish from time to time comparative lists of the prices at which coal is sold in English and Northern Irish towns. We commend this last suggestion particularly to the Free State Government. Indeed, the whole report ought to be studied by those who are engaged in the effort to secure industrial peace for Dublin and the South. If, as we may now hope, settlement of the present disputes is in sight, a probable term of settlement will be the institution of an impartial inquiry into the manner of living and the cost of living in the Free State. No readjustment of either standard is likely to be satisfactory or economic which does not take full account of contemporary conditions in Great Britain and in Northern Ireland. This report suggests that the cost of living is lower in Belfast than in Dublin, and we know that wages are lower in Belfast. What is the relationship between the two things?

Marriage and Nationality.

In May of this year a Select Committee of both Houses of Parliament was appointed to consider whether the existing law by which a British woman who marries a foreigner becomes an alien should be maintained or altered. The Committee has now reported that it cannot come to any agreement. It appears that the Committee consisted of five members of the House of Lords and five of the House of Commons, including Mrs. Wintringham. Their Lordships took the view that there was no cause for change in the existing law, which was based on the sound principle that one or other spouse should be supreme in the several spheres of family life, and that in this case it should be the husband. If two ride a horse, their report observes, one must ride behind. The Commoners on the Committee took the view that a British woman who married a foreigner ought not to take *ipso facto* her husband's nationality, and that a foreign woman marrying a British husband should not become a British subject unless she applied voluntarily for naturalisation. The unfruitful issue of the Committee's total efforts to solve the problem is tempered by the knowledge that, even if they had succeeded, there is nothing to be gained by a change of the existing law except in conformity with an international agreement on the national *status* of wives in all countries. It would be as troublesome to have the English wife of a French husband a British subject in England and a French citizen in France as it will be—if the proposed American legislation is passed—to have the American wife of a British husband a British subject in England and an American citizen in the United States. If these problems cannot be settled internationally, the League of Nations will be of very little use.

A Gift to Canada.

The people of Canada have received from Sir Leicester Harmsworth a gift of great price in the shape of manuscripts and rare printed books dealing with the period in Canadian history which covers the last years of the French *régime* and the early years of British rule. The collection includes the famous Monckton papers for which the Canadian Government offered a high price when they came on the market three years ago. It was outbid by the donor, who has added to them thirty volumes of rare books and a number of manuscripts. The latter include Wolfe's original Order Book, covering the period of eleven years from 1748 to 1759; six journals kept by his aide-de-camp, Captain Thomas Bell, and an extremely rare French printed book dealing with the operations around Quebec. The main interest of the collection lies in the valuable clues which it provides to the character and personal history of Wolfe, the man and the soldier. The Order Book, despite the routine nature of most of the entries, shows General Wolfe as he was—a quiet, unassuming man, but withal a firm and occasionally ruthless disciplinarian. He was wrapped up in the Service; yet he brought to bear on matters of non-military government gifts of imagination which showed that the soldier had not completely enveloped the man. Naturally, Canadians attach the greatest value, sentimental and historical, to these records and are to be congratulated on their acquisition.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

To-morrow morning the Prince of Wales will land at Southampton, where a special train will be in readiness to bring him to London. There will be no official reception at Waterloo Station, and the Prince will leave by motor car for York House. It is probable that there will be a considerable gathering in the streets to welcome His Royal Highness, who will have but a short rest before resuming his official duties. His first engagement is in Edinburgh next Thursday, when he will unveil the Royal Scottish Fusiliers Memorial, and on the next day he will fulfil various engagements in Dundee, returning to London on Saturday night.

The Duke and Duchess of York, who left London yesterday morning for Belgrade, will make but a short stay in Serbia, and are expected to arrive back in London next Thursday.

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To-morrow afternoon the Duke of Connaught will open the Hackney War Memorial Homes, which have just been completed at Millfields, facing the River Lea. The Homes, which will be known as the Disabled Soldiers' and Sailors' (Hackney) Foundation, will be dedicated after the opening ceremony by the Bishop of Stepney.

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Prince Axel of Denmark is expected to arrive in London to-morrow from Copenhagen. The Marquis Visconti-Venosta has arrived in London from Rome, and is staying at Claridge's Hotel. Baron Goldschmidt-Rothschild, who has been making a short stay in London, has left for Frankfort. Viscount and Viscountess Lee of Fareham left London yesterday for India, and will not return to England before the middle of next April. Major-General Sir David and Lady Bruce will leave to-day by the Kenilworth Castle for Madeira. General Vicomte de la Panouse, French Military *Attaché* in London, left for Paris yesterday.

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The Duchess of Northumberland has left Gordon Castle, Fochabers, where she has been visiting her father, the Duke of Richmond and Gordon, and has rejoined the Duke of Northumberland at Alnwick Castle. The Earl and Countess of Desart are now at Hawkhurst Park, Wisborough, Sussex, which will be their permanent country address. The Countess of Dunmore, who has been staying at Tarland, Nairnshire, has returned to London. The Earl of Yarborough has arrived in London from Brocklesby Park, where the Countess of Yarborough, who is Baroness Fauconberg and Conyers in her own right, celebrated her birthday yesterday.

The Duchess of Leeds has arrived in London from Hornby Castle. The Earl and Countess of Ancaster will leave Scotland for Eresby House to-day. Lord and Lady Edward Grosvenor have returned to London from a round of country visits. Lucy Countess of Egmont and Mr. Brisco have returned to London from Hampshire. Lord Merthyr and the Hon. Anne Lewis, Major-General Sir Cecil and Lady Lowther, Sir Alfred and Lady Maud, Lord Emmott, and Sir Charles and Lady Cayzer are among the latest arrivals in London.

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A marriage will take place in London on November 22nd between Captain Nigel Martyn, late Indian Army, youngest son of late Canon Martyn, of St. Buryan, Cornwall, and Mrs. Martyn, 10 Arundel avenue, Sefton Park, Liverpool, and Kathleen, only child of Mr. Harold E. Dickinson and grand-daughter of late Dean Dickinson, of Dublin.

The marriage arranged between Daniel, eldest son of Daniel Peard and Mrs. Humphreys, late of Deer Park, Midleton, Co. Cork, and Elizabeth Perry, eldest daughter of Benjamin and Mrs. Haughton, of Tracton Park, Montenotte, Cork, is intended to take place at the end of November.

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Surgeon Meade has returned to 9 Fitzwilliam place.

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Dr. Geo. P. Cope has returned to his residence, 36 Harcourt street.

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Doctor Fagan has returned to 2 Upper Leeson street.

Switzer and Co. have just received a large delivery of Fleecy Woollen Gloves, fancy gauntlets, with fringe fur and Astrakhan trimming.

A Collection of Beautiful Model Gowns of consummate grace. Lovely Model Cloaks and Wraps, exquisite Egyptian, Persian, and Eastern Embroideries. Superb Model Coats, most lovely materials, trimmed luxurious furs. W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Fascinating little Dance Frocks, a wide range of choice, 25s. 6d., 29s. 6d., 39s. 6d.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's st.

Children's Frocks—Our new collection has just arrived. A beautiful assortment of Dainty Party Frocks, also a manufacturer's collection of very effective Velveteen Frocks, at bargain prices.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

New Materials and Models in Costumes and Coats for smart Winter wear.—Mumford, 18 Suffolk street, Dublin.

Veronica (Miss Vera Long) has returned from London and Paris with Original Models in Gowns and Millinery.—31 Upper Baggot st.

Start-Rite Children's Footwear at Bradley's. Write for new illustrated revised price list to J. Vincent Bradley, The House for Good Footwear, 23 Nassau street, Dublin. Telephone 4774.

Miss Tanner has again returned to 11 Wicklow street with distinctive Models and "Ready-to-Wear" Hats.

Afternoon Gown in Black Chiffon Velvet, with Peter Pan collar and cuffs in Valenciennes, for 8½ gns., at Slyne's, Ltd., Grafton street.

New arrival of Autumn Mantles and Furs at McBirney's.

Warm Underclothing—We are agents for the famous makes "Jaeger," "Chilprufe," and "Pesco" Underclothing at keenest prices.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Regular visits to a dentist and the daily use of Grania Tooth Paste are golden rules for the preservation of your health.

Afternoon and Evening Gowns, some very pretty models, new styles, just arrived, all at reasonable prices.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Faust," 7.30 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Stars of 1923," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Thro' Romantic India," 2.30 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Shadow of a Gunman" and "The Jackdaw," 8.15 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Knocknagow," 6.45 and 8.45.
Olympia Theatre—"Brilliants," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Passion," 3 and 8 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Secrets of Paris," 3 to 10.30.
Grafton Picture House—"La Tosca," 12 to 10.30.
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Fool's Paradise," 3.10, 5.45, and 8.30 p.m.
St. Thomas's Bazaar and Choir Funds—Concert, Abbey Hall, Methodist Church, Lower Abbey street, 7.45 p.m.
City Sessions, 11 a.m.
Dail Eireann (Winding Up) Courts, 11 a.m.
Y.W.C.A.—Sale, 7 Leinster street, 12 o'clock.

ENGAGEMENT OF LADY ASTOR'S NIECE.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

The engagement is announced here of Miss Alice Perkins, daughter of the eldest of the five famous Langhorne sisters, of Virginia, and niece of Lady Astor, to the Hon. Reginald Winn, brother of Lord St. Oswald.

The fifth annual session of the International Labour Conference of the League of Nations opens at Geneva on Monday next.

SHAW FESTIVAL.

THE END OF THE BIRMINGHAM FIRST CYCLE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BIRMINGHAM, Thursday Night.

With a performance of "Heartbreak House" this afternoon, and "Getting Married" to-night, the first cycle of the Shaw festival at the Repertory Theatre came to an end. The matinée this afternoon did not draw a large audience, but matinées at the Repertory Theatre do not seem to be very popular.

I was very glad to see "Heartbreak House" again, because it was a play that aroused considerable discussion when first produced in London. Owing to mistakes in production, the first performance at the Court Theatre was much too slow. Nor was the play well cast as to its balance, for "Heartbreak House" is pointless if old Captain Shotover is merely eccentric, and Ellie Dunn too deliberate and superior.

The most beautiful passage in this play is when the old and young discover the bond of sympathy between them, the one too old to be part of the futile culture of "Heartbreak House," the other too young to accept its lies and shams and insincerities without rebellion.

In this scene one can discover the germ of "Back to Methuselah." The whole play might very well have been part of the Pentateuch. Captain Shotover is always on the verge of preaching the gospel of the Brothers Barnabas, and a very few lines would make "Heartbreak House" a better sequel to "In the Beginning" than the present second part of the Pentateuch.

Mr. Cedric Hardwicke, who did such good work in "Back to Methuselah," was an ideal Captain Shotover in this afternoon's performance. He managed to bring out the humour of the part, and and yet look and speak like an inspired prophet. Miss Eileen Beldon, though not perfect as Ellie—this young actress must really learn how to control her voice—expressed a simple and youthful shrewdness that realised the author's intentions fairly well.

Of the others, Mr. Wallace Evennett's Mazzini Dunn, Mr. Scott-Sunderland's Hector, and Mr. Paul Smythe's Burglar were the most noticeable. Mrs. Margaret Chatwin was not well cast as Mrs. Hushabye, and Mrs. Evelyn Hope's Lady Utterword, if handsome enough, could not make me forget Edith Evans's wonderful performance. There were signs of insufficient rehearsal, or, perhaps, of too hard work.

As to the play itself, I cannot subscribe to the opinion that it is Shaw's masterpiece. It wavers weakly between criticism of civilisation in general, which has been done with much finer spirit in "Back to Methuselah," and a characteristic diatribe against the culture of a special class.

And, of course, England was always the bull's eye of Bernard Shaw's target. These failings and exaggerated attempts to be humourous at all costs were again patent, and, what seemed finer in "Heartbreak House" at its first performance, was brought out even more clearly this afternoon, thanks in the main to the Captain Shotover, of the Birmingham players.

THE CARL ROSA OPERA COMPANY.

"CARMEN."

After "Aida" and "Madam Butterfly," Dublin opera-goers expected a great "Carmen" from the Carl Rosa Opera Company. They packed the Gaiety in every part, and were not disappointed.

They even had a surprise in Miss Maude Neilson's Micaela, played for the first time in Ireland by this gifted Scottish girl. Her work in the opening scene was noticed, the more so, perhaps, from the fact that the whole first act seemed to drag. Her "Although I strive to banish fear" in Act III. placed her close to some of the best soprani who have sung Micaela in English. Perfectly produced notes of rare *timbre* brought the story to the imagination of everyone in the audience. Miss Neilson, so far, is the "discovery" of this season.

Miss Doris Woodall has been greater in the title part. She did not present a thoroughly convincing Carmen, but she was as fine an artist as ever in the tense situations, in the persuading of José in Act II., and in the finale of Act IV. Her best singing performance was "In vain we seek."

Mr. Ben Williams as José added to the reputation as a tenor which Dublin gave him in "Butterfly." His beautiful enunciation in "See here thy flower" added to the pleasure given by his dramatic singing of the famous solo.

The quintette in Act II. was splendidly rendered, and thenceforward the opera continued to improve. Mr. Appleton Moore was encored for a moderate "Toreador" song. It was strange that in all his other vocal work of the night he was much better than in the "star" number.

Mr. Charles Webber was the conductor. He fully deserved the enthusiasm with which the orchestra's playing of the introduction to Act III. was received. The flute and harp went gloriously together, while the one tiny little tap, barely noticeable, on the tympanum, gave that distinctive tone that made the performance a triumph of orchestral delicacy.

One of the most pleasing features of the production was Miss Ailne Phillipps's Spanish dance at the beginning of the fourth act, while the rich and lustrous dressing of the opera was particularly pleasing to the eye.

To-night—"Faust," with the complete ballet.

LEESON PARK PARISH.

THE REV. ALBERT E. HUGHES APPOINTED RECTOR.

The Rev. A. E. Hughes, M.A., of the Mariners' Church, Kingstown, has been appointed rector of the Parish of Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin, and chaplain of the Molyneux Institution for the Blind.

Mr. Hughes, who succeeds Canon Percy Phair, recently appointed Dean of Ossory, graduated from the Royal University in 1901, and afterwards entered Trinity College. He received the Divinity Testimonium in 1907, became B.A. in 1908, and M.A. in 1911.

He was ordained in 1907, and was appointed headmaster of the Cathedral Grammar School and curate of Drumcondra, with North Strand. In 1909 he was appointed Diocesan Inspector of Education, succeeding Canon Tristram in that office. From 1911 to 1919 he was curate of Rathfarnham parish, and then became rector. Four and a half years later he was appointed rector of the Mariners' Church, Kingstown, where he succeeded the Very Rev. H. B. Kennedy, now Dean of Christ Church Cathedral.

Mr. Hughes was a Minor Canon of St. Patrick's Cathedral from 1912 to 1919, and was appointed chaplain to the Lord Lieutenant in 1920.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference. — A trough of low pressure extends from Iceland to Madeira, and the barometer is falling over most of Western Europe. Rather warm southerly winds are probable, strong at times, with much cloud, some rain and local fog.

Ireland.—Moderate to strong southerly winds; much cloud; some rain; mist or fog in places; rather warm.

All Irish Seaboards. — Moderate to strong southerly winds; much cloud; some rain; mist or fog in places; sea rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Thursday (5 p.m.) 29.90

SUN.

To-day....Rises ...... 6.57 Sets 5.22
To-morrow......... 6.59 .... 5.20
Lighting-up Time 6.22

HIGH WATER.

DUBLIN.
To-day....Morning 7.17 Afternoon 7.42
To-morrow......... 8.25 .... 8.46

BELFAST.
To-day....Morning 6.47 Afternoon 7.14
To-morrow......... 7.52 .... 8.17

QUEENSTOWN.
To-day....Morning 0.57 Afternoon 1.32
To-morrow......... 2. 5 .... 2.38

According to the latest figures of the liquor poll in Queensland, there is a majority of 72,000 against prohibition.

Fire has destroyed the Russian summer Embassy at Buyukdere, on the Bosporus.

LONDON LETTER.

MR. ELIHU ROOT.

89 FLEET STREET, LONDON,

THURSDAY NIGHT.

Although this is an age of wonderful old men, Mr. Elihu Root will set up something like a record if he should accept the London Embassy, which is reported to have been offered to him by President Coolidge; for he has already entered his eightieth year. His physical health is good, however, and his intellectual energy shows no sign of abatement. He is particularly interested, moreover, in the movement for bringing the United States into closer co-operation with Europe—a fact which is believed to have weighed a good deal with the President. Finally, he is possessed of ample private means to eke out the rather exiguous provision that America makes for her Ambassador.

An Expensive Post.

Mr. Child, who is resigning his post as United States Ambassador in Rome, is not the first representative of America to find that the expenses connected with the appointment are a heavy burden. Congress has consistently refused to purchase a building as an Embassy, and each holder of the office has been compelled to rent a house for the purpose according to his pocket. Rents are high in Rome, and Mr. Child has found that the expenses made too great a strain upon his private resources. During the past twenty years there have been eight different American Ambassadors in Rome, whereas the British Ambassador has been there for eleven years, and the French Embassy has had the same occupant for a quarter of a century.

The Duke of York.

The Duke and Duchess of York, who left Victoria this morning for Belgrade, had a warm send off by a big crowd assembled for the purpose. The Duke and Duchess did not leave the Royal waiting-room until the last moment; but the crowd waited, and when they appeared there was enthusiastic cheering. The Duke and Duchess go to Belgrade for the baptism of the infant Crown Prince of Serbia on Sunday and for the wedding of Prince Paul of Serbia on Monday. The Duke is to act as "Koom" to the Crown Prince, a position unknown in this country, where the duties of a god-parent, as a rule, are taken rather lightly. The "Koom" in Serbia becomes a member of the family, and is taken into council whenever anything important has to be decided. He really becomes a kind of trustee for his god-child.

Armistice Day.

The decision of the Cenotaph Committee that there shall be no ceremony in Whitehall on Armistice Day really seems to be a perfectly reasonable one. Services will be held in every church and place of worship throughout the country at the moment of the two minutes' silence, and generally with reference to those fallen in the war. The King himself, with the members of the Government and the Dominion Premiers, is to attend such a Service in Westminster Abbey. Yet there are complaints to-day in various quarters that Whitehall is not to be the scene of a great function, which probably would attract many thousands of people, but also would prevent many thousands of others from attending a quiet Service in their own churches. The complaints seem rather unjustifiable, since it is made quite clear that the usual Service will take place in Whitehall next year, when the celebration falls on a week-day.

Rubber Paving.

The rubber paving surrounding the Cenotaph in Whitehall has proved a very great success as regards sound, but its wearing capabilities, of course, will not be demonstrated for some years to come. It shows, however, signs of movement, apparently because the grouting material laid between the blocks is not satisfactory. The rubber companies who have given the rubber blocks have agreed to contribute a sum up to five hundred pounds to put matters right. The Westminster City Council engineer thinks that the difficulty can be overcome. If a satisfactory solution is reached, and the rubber paving proves to be as good as expected, there ought to be a future for this form of road material.

Anglo-Russian Trade.

The agreement between this country and Russia for the resumption of shipments of grain from Russia to Western Europe is considered in the City of London to be one of the most far-reaching of the commercial arrangements made since the signing of the Anglo-Russian trade agreement. The big five of the banking world are said to be prepared to give credit to the scheme up to one million pounds, and, since it is understood that one million pounds' worth of grain would probably mean a return to Russia of, perhaps, twice the value in manufactured goods, the importance of the arrangement will be recognised. Russia during the past year has greatly increased her area of cultivation, and, should the new development succeed, trade with Russia may improve rapidly.

An American Report.

It is significant in this connection to note that the unofficial Congressional Commission which has been visiting Russia has returned to New York with a fairly favourable report. They found conditions there better than they had been led to expect, and they "favoured steps being taken by the United States looking to the establishment of trade relations with Russia." Senator King, of Utah, who was a member of the party, was careful to say, however, that he did not recommend *de jure* recognition of the Soviet Government.

Germany's Fall.

The collapse of Germany has been looked for so many times during the past few years that it is difficult to realise that the moment may now have actually arrived when the German Empire may begin to crumble before our eyes. The Prime Minister of Saxony has refused to accept instructions from a general delegated by the Berlin Government to the effect that the Socialist irregulars are to be disbanded, while in Bavaria the dictator has threatened fines or imprisonment for any person taking part in a Socialist organisation. The frontier of Saxony is almost closed, and the *ultimatum* issued from Berlin was to expire this morning. If it is ignored by the Dresden Government, civil war may not be remote. Once it begins the end of the German Empire is in sight.

The Inflation Bogey.

Supporters of inflation as a remedy for unemployment received a severe rebuff this afternoon. Speaking at the Colchester Oyster Feast, Mr. Goodenough, the head of Barclay's Bank, who had been credited with the authorship of the inflation project, took occasion to disavow it absolutely and to deliver a strong speech in favour of doing all we could to keep up the value of sterling.

Second Thoughts.

It may be a mere coincidence, but the fact remains that the Finance Commission of the Federation of British Industries, with Sir Eric Geddes in the chair, has decided to re-draft its report, which originally recommended "fundamental changes in British monetary policy." The revised version of the report is not expected for eight or ten days.

GERMANY'S SECRET ARMY.

SAXON PREMIER'S STARTLING STATEMENT.

"HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS."

DEPUTIES LEAVE DIET AFTER TALK OF TREASON.

There was a wild scene in the Saxon Diet yesterday when the Premier declared that the Reich had an illegal army of hundreds of thousands. He was accused of treason for making the statement, and, after a stormy scene, the Nationalist deputies left the House.

The position of the new German Coalition has always been critical, and its very existence now depends largely on how it handles the situation in Saxony. It has not enforced General Mueller's ultimatum threatening to take action to disband by force the armed bands. The General himself, in a fresh letter to the Premier, Dr. Zeigner, says: "As you have not seen fit to answer my letter, I have submitted the affair to the Minister of Defence."

ANOTHER CRISIS.

COALITION THREATENED.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Thursday.

Once again the German Government is confronted with a crisis. Saxony has replied to General Mueller's demand for the disavowal of Herr Boettcher by nominating him to the Reichsrat, Germany's Federal Council, which is about the most spectacular rebuff of which she could have been capable.

At the same time, the Social Democratic Party, only five days after giving Herr Stresemann his Reichstag victory, is in a state of almost open mutiny over his contrasting use of the iron hand in Saxony, and the blind eye in Bavaria.

The result is that the foundering of the Coalition is seriously threatened, and Berlin has been made to look ridiculous.

Mueller's ultimatum was delivered in accordance with the instructions of President Ebert, Herr Stresemann, and Herr Gessler (Minister of Defence). As I stated last night, it was decided that military action should be taken to-day. The Socialists, however, sent one of their leaders, Hermann Mueller, to see the Chancellor, and immediately afterwards the Cabinet was called together.

The nature of Hermann Mueller's mission was shown when *Vorwärts* to-day announced that the Social Democratic Party must not be expected to give its sanction to things that simply could not be sanctioned, adding that every day saw an increase in the number of party members who wanted to know how much longer responsible participation in Government affairs would be possible.

As if to remove all doubt that this was a frank threat to pass from Coalition to Opposition, the paper added:—"The fate of the Reich may hang on what General Mueller does to-day."

So General Mueller has done nothing. He has put down the sword, resumed the pen, and told the Saxon Premier that, since the latter has not seen fit to answer his letter, he has referred the whole matter to the Minister of Defence.

There the matter rests, and the troops rest with it.

"TREASON."

WILD SCENES IN THE SAXON DIET.

BERLIN, Thureday.

During to-day's debate in the Saxon Diet over the Communist demand for the resignation of the Imperial Minister of Defence, Herr Gessler, the Saxon Premier, Herr Zeigner, made a sensational statement, which gave rise to remarkable scenes in the House and cries of "Shame" from the parties of the Right.

Herr Zeigner said that it was a fact that the Reich had an illegal army, though apparently without the knowledge of the Imperial Government. At the end of September and beginning of October many of these organisations in the neighbourhood of Berlin would have attempted a rising, but were prevented from doing so by the Prussian State police.

In the camp at Koenigsbrueck these illegal organisations had been under training from four to six weeks this summer. Hundreds of thousands of members of these bodies had lately been enrolled in the Reichswehr and armed. In Leipzig alone there were about 1,500.

The *Entente*, he declared, knew of these things and would put an end to them.

A member of the German People's Party thereupon replied that it would have been better if this day had never dawned in Saxon history, for to-day was the anniversary of the *Battle of the Nations* at Leipzig. There was the first indication that reawakened Germany had been surrendered to the enemy. The illegal efforts referred to (which should have been reported to the Reichstag, where the Imperial Minister could have defended himself) showed, at least, the longing of the German people for a defensive arm.

The Saxon Premier could not prevent the speaker from going on to say that Herr Zeigner's proceeding constituted open treachery and from expressing regret that the Imperial Government had not yet been able to find means to take action against those guilty of such treason.

At these words a tremendous tumult broke out among the Communists, wherefore the German Nationalists rose from their seats and walked out of the House.—(Reuter.)

LONDON PILGRIMS IN ROME

RECEIVED BY THE POPE.

ROME, Thursday.

The Pope to-day received the party of 35 English pilgrims headed by Monsignor Brown, of London, in the Hall of the Consistory. When His Holiness, who was arrayed entirely in white, accompanied by the attendant prelates and the Noble Guard, arrived he was greeted by deafening cheers.

After each of the pilgrims had kissed the Pontiff's hand Monsignor Brown delivered a short address in French, explaining that the pilgrims represented London Catholic Associations and were desirous of paying homage to His Holiness.

Answering in French the Pope thanked his visitors for the sentiments of devotion that they had expressed. He went on to praise England and the generosity of the English and the fervour of their faith. He also expressed the hope that the day would return when there would be *unum ovile et unus pastor*. His Holiness imparted the Apostolic Benediction to all the pilgrims, extending it even to their families and dear ones.

The pilgrims then sang an English hymn and once more cheered enthusiastically when the Pope withdrew.

Monsignor Brown had previously been received in private audience, and had delivered the "Peter's Pence" to the Pope.

STRONG ARM STILL NEEDED.

Speaking at Glasgow yesterday, Sir Robert Horne said that British influence in the world, superficially at least, had been greatly weakened. Britain could not afford to have her *prestige* lowered. She had played the game faithfully with other nations by reducing armaments, but in Europe force was still the resort of strong nations. Britain would have to consider the necessity for military establishments sufficient to her needs. While welcoming the new air programme, he urged that the money for the Singapore base should be devoted to the Air Force.

RUHR NEGOTIATIONS.

A DEADLOCK IN PARIS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Thursday.

There is a deadlock for the moment in the negotiations between the French and the German Governments, and hopes based on the cessation of passive resistance must be deferred. Herr Hoesch, in his interview with M. Poincaré yesterday, reviewed the whole position of his Government as to conditions in the occupied territory. He:—

1. Communicated the instructions given for the resumption of work.
2. Explained the advance payment of wages made to railwaymen after the end of resistance had been announced.
3. Gave reasons for the suppression of the coal tax in occupied Germany.
4. Emphasised the continued desire of his Government to collaborate in restoring normal conditions.
5. Enlarged particularly on the impossibility of Germany undertaking the conditions for payment of deliveries in kind.

Whatever ground of satisfaction may have been discoverable under the first heads, they are found to be of minor interest in the presence of Herr Stresemann's attitude in regard to payment for reparations deliveries. This is declared, indeed, to bar the way to negotiations of any kind.

The French point of view is that passive resistance cannot be said to have ceased until there is a general return to work, and the German Government has reviewed the institution of its obligations under the Treaty, which it suspended at the time of the occupation.

Foremost among these obligations is that of assuring the deliveries in kind, which cannot be done without paying for them, and the German plea of poverty is not accepted by France.

The official view is that expressed by the *Temps*, that the German Government can easily pay, as it would have to do so only in paper marks, of which it has plenty for every other purpose.

It warns Herr Stresemann that he is making impossible, not only negotiations with the two Allies, but also the examination by the Reparations Commission of the wider proposals which he is known to be preparing. The same paper thinks it would help to pay for the coal wanted if a few of Herr Stinnes' mines and factories were seized.

GERMAN RIOTS.

MORE UNEMPLOYMENT: PRICES RISING.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

COLOGNE, Thursday.

Further cases of rioting and looting by unemployed are reported to-day from Bochum and other Ruhr towns. Prices are still rising, and unemployment is increasing. Women relatives of the workers at the Mannesmann Rolling Mills, at Gelsenkirchen, invaded the works yesterday, and, joined by the men, stormed the management's buildings.

The police took several hours to clear the works, during which they had to fire a volley of blank cartridges. Two persons were injured.

Riots also occurred at Mannheim, where five people are reported to have been killed. It is reported to-day that the railway men are reporting in large numbers for duty with the French *regie*.

ALIENS' WIVES.

SELECT COMMITTEE'S TWO REPORTS

The report of the Select Committee of both Houses of Parliament on the nationality of married women, which was published yesterday, is rather a melancholy affair. The Committee was appointed in May of this year to decide whether or not a British woman who married an alien should automatically cease to be British. The report shows that at the eleventh hour matters came to a deadlock. The five Lords—Viscount Chelmsford, Lord Erskine, Lord Stanmore, Lord Desart, and Lord Stuart of Wortley—were on one side, and the five M.P.'s—Mr. W. Adamson, Colonel Alexander, Sir John Butcher, Mr. Hughes, and Mrs. Wintringham—on the other.

The Lords' draft report said:—"The Committee have come to the conclusion that a case is not made out for a complete reversal of the principle governing the present law. It is their opinion that in this important sphere of family life the nationality of the husband should be the governing factor and determine the nationality of the wife. If two ride a horse, one must ride in front."

Sir John Butcher's report, on behalf of the M.P.'s, recommended that a British woman shall not lose, or be deemed to lose, her nationality by the mere act of marriage with an alien; that an alien woman shall not acquire, or be deemed to have acquired, British nationality by the mere act of marriage with a British subject, but that if she or her husband are residing on British soil she shall be entitled to apply for British naturalisation without the necessity of complying with the ordinary conditions as to length of residence.

The Committee was thus bare of results.

"WOLF OF WALL STREET."

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

David H. Lamar, known as the "Wolf of Wall street," who jumped his bail of 5,000 dollars to avoid a year in prison on account of his anti-American war activities, was brought back from Mexico City yesterday to begin serving his term.

Lamar was discovered in Mexico City, where he attracted suspicion by his wild tales of get-rich-quick schemes.

In 1914 he developed a scheme to defraud J. P. Morgan and Co. and the United States Steel Corporation, and was sentenced to two years. During the war he intrigued with some German financiers to manœuvre the Stock Market, and then assisted Captain Franz von Rintelen, of the German Navy, to foment strikes and hinder munition shipments.

After the war he obtained large sums for oil deals, and disappeared.

PANEL DOCTORS TO RESIGN.

CONFERENCE DECISION.

GOVERENMENT'S TERMS REJECTED.

Representatives of the Local Medical and Panel Committees of England, Wales, and Scotland, who met yesterday at Westminster, unanimously rejected the offer by the Minister of Health of eight shillings for five years or eight and sixpence for three years.

Notices are being sent out to all panel doctors to tender their resignations.

UNANIMOUS DECISION.

20,000 NOTICES SENT OUT.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Thursday.

Dr. Cox, Secretary of the British Medical Association, stated to-night that the doctors at the conference had a real good discussion, and that it did not take long to come to a unanimous decision. Secretaries of local panel committees have been told what steps to take for panel doctors to send in their resignations, he said.

There are about 14,000 panel doctors concerned, but many of them are on two panels, and we have sent out 20,000 resignation notices. One doctor is on seven panels. Doctors have to give two months' notice in order to resign on January 1.

The Insurance Acts Committee of the British Medical Association will have to receive resignations from two-thirds of the panel doctors. If they do not the decision will be ineffective. I feel confident that we will get resignations from two-thirds of the doctors.

It is understood that the strike has been so well organised that resignations from two-thirds will be sent in to the Committee by next Tuesday.

RESIGNATION AS A PROTEST.

Dr. H. B. Brackenbarry, Chairman of the Insurance Acts Committee, moving the resolution rejecting the Minister of Health's terms, said that there were four ways in which the question might be settled—submission, negotiation, arbitration, and conflict. The Committee would have preferred the method of negotiation, but it had been refused. Arbitration also was refused, and they were left with the almost unbelievably simple, though extremely serious, issue of submission or conflict. The offer was economically unjust, nationally unsound, and socially dangerous.

A National Insurance Health policy must be one with which the whole medical profession could heartily and willingly co-operate, and not one which would give to the industrial population the services of doctors relatively inexperienced or driven to it by sheer economic need, while making doctors who had been more successful endeavour to get out of the service at the earliest possible moment.

Another reason why they could not accept the offer was because the circumstances under which it was made necessitated a protest from an honourable and independent profession. The approved societies had taken the narrowest and lowest commercial view possible of the medical profession, and claimed in effect to be their paymasters. A condition precedent to any resumption of negotiations was to show that the Health Minister could not get on his present terms the satisfactory services that he desired. The Insurance Acts Committee was unanimously of opinion that to submit would be economically unjust, bad for the nation, and fatal to the profession.

When the requisite number of resignations were forthcoming, as he confidently expected they would be immediately, he believed that the Minister would agree to open negotiations.

KING ALFONSO.

VISIT TO SOUTH AMERICA IN THE SPRING.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

MADRID, Thursday.

King Alfonso has decided that, if nothing unforeseen occurs, he will visit South America next spring. He intends to include Mexico in his tour, and, if the American Government sends an official invitation, he will undoubtedly visit the United States.

I understand that King Alfonso would like to play some polo in the United States, and he is keen on visiting some of the principal irrigation and industrial projects. I learn that he may also race some horses in South America.

The King has received innumerable invitations to visit America, where he is very popular. The military directorate, I understand, approves of the visit, which will be entirely contingent on the political situation in the spring. Queen Victoria will accompany the King.

MR. ELIHU ROOT.

OFFERED U.S. AMBASSADORSHIP IN LONDON.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Thursday.

President Coolidge has offered the United States Ambassadorship to the Court of St. James's to Mr. Elihu Root, in succession to Colonel Harvey.

It is understood that Mr. Root is holding back on account of a desire for a more peaceful life in his declining years. The President is reported to be trying to persuade Mr. Root to accept.

[An interesting note on the offer appears in our London Letter.]

THE SENATE.

NEXT TUESDAY'S AGENDA.

The members of the Free State Senate will meet at three o'clock on Tuesday next for the purpose of considering the County Courts (Amendment) Bill and the Licensing (Renewal of Licences) Bill. It is probable that both bills will be put through all their stages, and that they will be passed into law at that sitting.

Senator Barrington will propose that the Government should offer prizes, with a view to the encouragement of two important industries, (1) for the most efficient type of internal combustion engine, developing 15 b.h.p., while using crude alcohol alone as the motor spirit; (2) for the most suitable and economic crude alcohol for the development of power, so treated that it could not be consumed as a drink—both to be manufactured in the Free State.

Senator Sir John Keane will move for the appointment of a Committee of Experts to inquire into the question of public accountancy.

The Dail will not meet until Wednesday, the 31st inst.

LORD CARSON.

STATUE IN FRONT OF NEW PARLIAMENT BUILDING.

At a meeting of the Ulster Unionist Council it was decided to erect a statue of Lord Carson in the grounds of the new Parliament buildings at Stormont.

IMPORTANT IRISH DOCUMENTS.

The October number of the *English Historical Review* contains some documents of great interest to Irish readers. These are a series of confidential opinions regarding the causes of the financial and industrial crisis of 1779, which led to the movement for Free Trade. These opinions were written at the request of the Lord Lieutenant by several representative Irishmen of the day, including Flood, Hussey Burgh and Hely Hutchinson. They have never been printed before, and some of them were burned in the Record Office fire last year. Luckily, before they were burned, copies had been made of them by Dr. George O'Brien, who has now edited them for publication in the *English Historical Review*.

UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEMS.

LORD CARSON'S ADVICE

PRAISE FOR THE ULSTER WORKER.

Lord and Lady Carson had an enthusiastic welcome last night at a reception by the Ulster Unionist Labour Association in Belfast.

The Right Hon. J. M. Andrews, M.P., Chairman, said that Lord Carson and Sir James Craig had won for Ulster a Parliament of her own, closely linked up with the mother of Parliaments at Westminster. They had saved them from a Dublin Parliament, and that saved them from the horrors associated with civil war, which they in Ulster regretted to know had dragged Southern Ireland down almost to the verge of industrial and economic ruin.

LORD CARSON.

Lord Carson, who had a cordial reception, said that they knew that in the past he had been described by very important men as a great enemy of Labour. He had been put down as one of those men who gloated in capital. He wished that he had some of it. (Laughter.) He had all kinds of descriptions applied to him, but he was just an ordinary human being, with all the feelings of humanity for every class, without distinction, and with the certainty that nothing would be more calamitous for every class than a war between classes. (Hear, hear.) He realised all that they had gone through since the formation of their Government, and with all their great qualities and courage they had come through. What they now wanted, and what they always wanted, whatever might be said about them, was peace—peace for their industries, peace that all men's thoughts might be turned to how to improve the lives and interests of the whole community of which they were citizens, peace that would enable them to know that when they went home they would find their homes bright and cheerful as they looked into the eyes of their wives and children; peace that would bring about confidence, that would enable those who could afford it to put out their money with a view to the expansion of industries, for which all the people were so well adapted.

A POSITION OF SADNESS.

Unemployment was the great shadow which was hanging over the land, not merely there, but in other countries. That was a position of sadness which some day or other—how he did not know—would have to be, and would be, solved. Of one thing he could say from his experience of Ulster, that whatever might be said of other industrial districts where they preferred to exist on a miserable dole, that there was not one dozen men in that community but would prefer to work the whole time if they got the opportunity. (Cheers.) He was not going to try to examine the remedies for unemployment. At all events, they had the opportunity of putting forward all their own ideas and thoroughly examining them, as they also had in the South of Ireland. He would, however, say to them from the bottom of his heart—Don't be led away by catch words and phrases, and don't imagine that it is by some particular gospel put into two or three words that this question ever can be solved. He was sceptical of most of the remedies, and believed that it would be solved, not by one particular remedy, but by a conglomeration of expansions in different directions.

Let them not be putting blame where it was not deserved, on either workmen or employers, and let them never forget the one great circumstance, which was really a great impetus to everyone to make every sacrifice that they could, that in the Great War they had spent millions and millions of money on non-productive employment and work. Countries were overwhelmed with a gigantic debt. This made it extraordinarily difficult to deal with the situation. Of one thing he was certain. When they tided over the present difficulty, he believed that there was for that province, now that they were not handicapped by association with the South in its retarding methods, that they had so often found in the Imperial Parliament, a future which would make them absolutely safe when times were good and they had developed their full resources against the recurrent incidence of unemployment. (Cheers.) When the tide turned, as it certainly would, they would be able to take the fullest advantage of it.

THE LABOUR MINISTER.

In the meantime let them be forbearing, one towards the other, and be as helpful as they could to each other. It was his firm belief that in the Ulster Minister of Labour they had a man who in his heart longed to do all that he could for labour. (Cheers.) There was no man in Ulster who doubted the sincerity of their Minister of Labour. (Cheers.) That was, what they wanted—sincerity, reality, and facing the facts, no matter how bad or how bitter they may be. All prosperity in the long run was based upon confidence—a confidence built up by the knowledge that men are honestly attempting to solve great questions and difficulties which must arise in all great communities.

Sir James Craig, on behalf of those present, thanked Lord Carson for his inspiring address.

PROHIBITION EVASION.

PLOT TO BRIBE OFFICIALS.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Federal agents have arrested nine men in a hotel here on a charge of conspiracy to bribe prohibition agents, with a view to obtaining immunity in New Jersey to make and sell beer and whiskey. It is alleged that a sum of 80,000 dollars is involved, but Federal officials declared that ten times that amount was raised in recent months by brewers and others for the purpose of corrupting Government agents. It is alleged that one of the arrested men claims to be a former private secretary to a prominent United States Senator.

It is announced that the Federal District Attorney has requested injunction proceedings under which he would place padlocks on 54 New York saloons, which are known to be selling liquor virtually openly, and that he intends, by similar action, to close 2,000 saloons in the city shortly.—(Reuter.)

WIDOWS' PENSIONS.

STATEMENT BY MR. BALDWIN.

Replying to a letter from Colonel E. C. Heath, written on behalf of the National Executive of the Council of the British Legion, protesting against the withdrawal of the regulation under which the Special Grants Committee could make sickness grants up to 7s. 6d. a week to pensioned widows and children, Mr. Baldwin points out that the rates of pension now current are 26s. 8d. for a widow with children, or for a widow forty years of age, and 20s. for a childless widow under forty. In the latter case the widow, if she is permanently invalided and unable to work, can have her pension supplemented by allowance of 6s. 8d., so that the widow who may now, or at some future time, become affected by the withdrawal, is already provided for to the extent of 26s. 8d. per week for herself alone, with full allowances for any pensionable children she may have. In addition, the Government have not taken advantage of the sliding scale based on the cost of living, which would have meant a substantial reduction in pensions, but have stabilised the rates of pensions for a further period of three years. Therefore, adds the Premier, as against a loss of £2,500 a year, as the result of the withdrawal of the sickness grant, pensioned widows and children benefit to the extent of £3,000,000 in the current year.

THE AMERICAN PRESIDENCY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Mr. Edison, the famous inventor, has expressed his disapproval of Mr. Ford's proposed candidature for the Presidency next year. Mr. Ford, he thinks, would be spoiled by his election as President; he is more needed where he is.

Mr. Edison predicts that the radio craze will die in a decade, unless the frying sounds are eliminated from the broadcasting of musical performances.

Almost all the strikes in Polish Silesia have come to an end, and work has been resumed in most of the factories and mines.

PAPYRUS'S FORM.

BIG CROWD WATCHES A 6 A.M. GALLOP.

PRICE SHORTENS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Steve Donoghue has explicit confidence in Papyrus's readiness and fitness to give a good account of himself in Saturday's International race at Belmont Park. Donoghue declines to comment further; but he and Papyrus's trainer, Basil Jarvis, were unmistakably enthusiastic after the English horse's first real work out this morning on the main track at Belmont Park.

As a result, coupled with the failure of Zev to make a corresponding good impression, the betting odds on Saturday's race have shifted from 9 to 5 against Papyrus last night to 6 to 5. I think it is safe to say that on the day of the race Papyrus's supporters will be unable to get even money.

The tone of the American sporting writers is not quite so optimistic regarding Zev's chances.

Before six o'clock this morning Papyrus and Bar Gold appeared on Belmont Park track, where there were nearly 1,500 people. For nearly half an hour the two English horses gently exercised up and down the track.

Then the blankets were discarded, and the colts were led to the far side of the main track, with Donoghue up on Papyrus. The pair immediately went off at a fast gallop over the exact distance which is to be covered in Saturday's contest.

Donoghue covered the mile distance in one minute 38 2-5 seconds and the mile and a furlong in one minute 51 2-5 seconds.

Papyrus created a wonderful impression amongst the experts here, more especially, as Donoghue indicated later, that the colt had not been fully extended. Trainer Jarvis expressed quiet satisfaction with the colt's work.

Zev stepped a mile and a quarter in two minutes 9 seconds, slow time, but owner Sinclair explained that he had instructed Zev's rider to slow up after the first mile.

There is a great difference in English and American training methods. Here most of training is for the development of speed, and the methods employed by Trainer Jarvis seem somewhat old-fashioned to Americans.

Papyrus has once or twice been introduced to the American starting gate, and by Saturday he will be well acquainted with the conditions he will have to face.

Basil Jarvis yesterday saw Zev at exercise. "A fine horse," was the comment of the English trainer. "I like his conformation very much. You can't fault his body, and he has a fine, straight hind leg. He looks like a mighty fast one, and he is a little bigger than I was led to believe."

WASHINGTON, Thursday.

According to a message from Laurel (Maryland), where the colt is now quartered, Admiral Greyson's My Own, which was selected to race Papyrus in the event of Zev being considered unfit, will be despatched to-morrow morning to Belmont Park. Admiral Greyson announced his intention of transferring My Own to New York after a telephone conversation he had with Belmont Park.—(Reuter's Special Service.)

AIRWOMAN'S FEAT.

98 LOOPS IN 58 MINUTES.

A noted airwoman, Mdlle. Bolland, yesterady morning created a "record" at the Lecrotcy aerodrome by looping the loop ninety-eight times in fifty-eight minutes, the time including the rising into the air and landing. Mdlle. Bolland was finally obliged to land owing to a leakage in the petrol tank.—(Reuter.)

NO INFLATION.

SIR W. JOYNSON-HICKS'S ASSURANCE.

Speaking at Colchester Oyster Feast yesterday Sir W. Joynson-Hicks said that it had got about that the Government had some idea of manufacturing artificial money and of debasing the currency. There was not the slightest ground for any such fear.

Mr. Goodenough, Chairman of Barclay's Bank, said that no one would be an advocate of deliberate inflation. He was convinced that the commercial prosperity of the Empire would not be secured or evils of unemployment be counteracted by such a policy. Sterling should maintain a steady value.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

VISIT TO LINCOLN'S GRAVE.

CHICAGO, Thursday.

Mr. Lloyd George has much improved in health, and has resumed his tour. He has just started for Springfield, Illinois, to place a wreath on Lincoln's tomb.

REVERENT HOMAGE.

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS, Thursday.

Mr. Lloyd George arrived here to-day to visit Lincoln's tomb. Notwithstanding the driving rain and bitterly cold wind, Mr. Lloyd George walked bareheaded to the tomb, in which he deposited a wreath, with a card on which was written—"A humble and reverent homage to the memory of the world's greatest man."

INVITED TO AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Thursday.

After a meeting convened by the Lord Mayor, an invitation was cabled to Mr. Lloyd George to visit Australia as the guest of the citizens.

If Mr. Lloyd George accepts the invitation, all arrangements will be made for transport and a programme of entertainments will be prepared.

HOTELS AS BARRACKS.

MILITARY SEEKING OTHER ACCOMMODATION.

The Munster Tourist Development Association, in reply to a request which it made to the military authorities that the hotels at present in the occupation of the National Army should be handed back to the owners, so that preparations might be made for the reception of tourists next season, has received the following letter from the authorities in Dublin:—

"I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter, and to say that it is the desire of the Army authorities to have all the hotels at present occupied by the National Army evacuated at the earliest opportunity, both from the point of view of Army economy and public interest.

"Owing to lack of accommodation in parts of the country, especially in the South, it was necessary to occupy hotel buildings in many places. The Chief of the General Staff inquired personally into the conditions affecting the troops' occupation of hotels when he visited Kerry recently. As a result arrangements have been made to provide alternative accommodation, which will permit of the troops' withdrawal from the several hotels in the South at an early date."

SOUTH DUBLIN ELECTION.

The Republican campaign, in support of the candidature of Mr. Michael O Mullane, M.A., for the South Dublin Division, was continued last night.

Meetings were held in Bishop street, Ship street, Blackpitts, Leonard's Corner, The Fountain (Grey street), and Weaver's square. Several speakers, including Madame Markievicz, the Rev. Father Fagan, and Mr. O Mullane addressed the meetings.

To-night only one meeting will be held, and there will be a parade with bands and torches around the constituency.

MISSING GIRLS RETURN HOME.

The two Cork girls, Martha O'Connor and Mary Daly, who were missing since Tuesday evening, have now returned to their parents' homes. It appears that they went to a "wake" at a friend's house, and, having remained too late, were afraid to go home until after the publication of the report of their absence.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

PANEL SERVICE.

THE DOCTORS' DECISION.

The Times, dealing in a leading article with the refusal by the panel doctors of the new capitation fee offered by the Minister of Health, observes:—In the Minister's judgment, the sums he has named represent the largest amounts which, in the present financial condition of the country, can be afforded for an insurance medical service. He has, moreover, expressed the opinion that the funds of the approved societies cannot furnish any further grant to the doctors. His decision is deliberate, and must be regarded as final. In these circumstances, the conclusion is scarcely to be resisted that a capitation service lies at present beyond the means of the nation. It is admittedly an expensive form of service, and there are other forms which are likely to prove less costly. Indeed, the only point of importance to the public is the relative efficiency of these different systems. There is no need to argue that the panel service is unpopular, nor have we ever concealed our own doubts about it.

The public will probably gain, rather than lose, if it is found that the panel system can no longer be maintained.

GERMAN PLAN REJECTED.

A SERIOUS SITUATION.

The Times Paris Correspondent states in a message sent last night:—M. Poincaré was present to-day at the Council of Ministers at the Elysée, and gave to his colleagues an account of his conversation yesterday with Herr von Hoesch, the German *Chargé d'Affaires*, and his views on recent developments of the situation in the Ruhr and in Germany and their bearing upon foreign policy. Not a new condition, but a new definition, has been laid down by M. Poincaré. It seems to postpone real negotiations with Germany for a long time to come. Many previous attempts had been made to state precisely when, in the opinion of the French Government, passive resistance may be taken to have ceased, but it has never been so clearly declared that France will not listen to Germany until not only has the Ruhr returned to normal working order, but until the deliveries in kind to the Allies are resumed and attain a volume equal to those made before January 11. That is to be the test. When deliveries are satisfactory, and not until then, will France welcome new offers in respect to the general problem of reparations.

As there cannot be deliveries on a large scale unless Berlin is prepared to finance them, and as Berlin pleads that it has now become impossible at the same time to finance deliveries and effect monetary reforms, it would seem that the prospect is that of a Germany falling more and more into confusion, while France remains impassive.

TREATMENT OF ANÆMIA.

DR. BANTING'S DISCOVERY.

The medical profession believes that the new treatment upon which Dr. Banting is working is for anæmia in its initial stages and for pernicious anæmia, states *The Times* Correspondent in Toronto.

OBITUARY.

DR. W. E. ASHLEY CUMMINS.

The news of the death of Dr. William Edward Ashley Cummins, Cork, which occurred yesterday morning after a brief illness, came as a great shock to the people of Cork City and County. The son of the late Dr. W. J. Cummins, he was born at Blackrock, Cork, in February, 1858; was educated at Queen's College, and graduated at the old Queen's University. He was an ex-President of the Cork Medical and Surgical Society; a member of the British Medical Association; Examiner in Medicine of the National University; Professor of the Practice of Medicine, University College, Cork; senior surgeon to the County and City of Cork Hospital for Women and Children; senior medical officer of the Cork District Hospital; consulting physician to the Lying-in, and the Eye, Ear and Throat Hospitals, Cork; Examiner in Medicine, Apothecaries Hall, Ireland. In his younger days he was well known in Rugby football circles as a brilliant player, and he played in the Irish Fifteens of 1879, 1881 and 1882.

MR. CHARLES RANDAL A. MACDONNELL.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Charles Randal A. MacDonnell, D.L., of Montive, King Edward road, Bray, which took place suddenly yesterday morning in a train between Bray and Killiney. Mr. MacDonnell, who was in his 61st year, hurried to catch the 10.7 train for Dublin, and on entering a first-class carriage he was noticed to be in an exhausted condition. He died shortly after the train started, and at Killiney the body was removed from the train to the platform, where it remained, pending instructions from the Coroner. It is understood that the Coroner did not consider an inquest necessary.

Mr. MacDonnell belonged to a well-known County Clare family, who resided at New Hall near Ennis. He sold his extensive properties to the tenants many years ago, and afterwards sold New Hall to his brother and came to reside at Bray. Mr. MacDonnell married a daughter of the late Mr. Richard Stacpoole, of Eden Vale, Ennis, who predeceased him. He leaves four daughters. Mr. MacDonnell held a captain's commission in the Great War.

PRISONERS REMOVED.

It is reported that last evening a number of prisoners, estimated at about 100, were removed from Mountjoy Prison, Dublin, to a destination which is believed to be the Curragh Camp. No information was available from the prison authorities beyond the statement that the men "might have been released."

The Republican organisation states that on Tuesday 458 men were on hunger-strike in Mountjoy Gaol, and that the condition of Ernest O'Malley, Patrick Fleming, and Sean Buckley, T.D., gives cause for anxiety.

A group of sympathisers, mostly women and girls, assembled outside Mountjoy Prison last night to recite prayers for the prisoners on hunger-strike. Despite drizzling rain, they remained there until an early hour this morning.

NEW GREEK CABINET.

ATHENS, Thursday.

The Greek Cabinet has been reconstituted by the appointment of the following Ministers:—Minister of the Interior, M. Russos, formerly Minister in Washington; Foreign Affairs, M. Sakhturis, formerly Diplomatic Agent in Cairo; War, General Katekhakis, formerly Military representative in Constantinople; Justice, M. Stratigopoulos, formerly Appeal Court Judge.

The new Ministers are taking the oath to-day.

Immediately after the announcement regarding the Cabinet decrees were promulgated fixing December 2nd as the day of the elections, and December 24th for the meeting of the Assembly. On the same day Martial Law will be withdrawn.—(Reuter.)

TWO VIEWS ON PROTECTION.

"Protection would mean the destruction of the British Empire," said Sir George Paish, speaking at Bradford yesterday. It would mean that we would no longer lend capital to the Colonies, and no longer act as bankers of the world. We should no longer be able to support our population of 48,000,000.

The midland manufacturers sitting in council at Birmingham yesterday passed a resolution urging that unemployment was due principally to foreign competition in the British markets. Relief could be given by the imposition of import duties upon manufactured goods, and mutual preference in trade should be established throughout the Empire.

MR. CHURCHILL'S BOOK.—XI.

TANKS AND SMOKE.

DELAY IN MAKING USE OF DISCOVERIES.

DECISIVE RESULTS.

SOME REMARKABLE DOCUMENTS.

In the extracts which we have hitherto given from the Second Volume of Mr. Churchill's Memoirs of the War we have endeavoured to preserve the continuity of his account of the origin of the Dardanelles Expedition.

A decisive stage was reached in the last instalment with the abandonment of the purely naval attack, and we now turn back to two early and self-contained chapters, the first, which follows, on the origin of the tanks and the use of smoke screens, and the second, on the Dogger Bank action, which will be dealt with in to-morrow's extracts.

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Mr. Churchill, after describing the first attempts to make tanks, in which he was closely concerned, and the extraordinary difficulties under which those earlier attempts had to be prosecuted, continues:—

THERE is one further stage in the tale of the tanks to be described, and for this I must considerably anticipate chronology. When I resigned from the Cabinet in November, 1915, and joined the Army in France, I conceived myself to be the bearer to them of a good gift. This gift was the conception of a battle and of a victory; and I knew that the Commander-in-Chief, Sir John French, would study the proposals I submitted with deep and friendly attention.

Accordingly, on arrival at General Headquarters I drew up a paper called "Variants of the Offensive," which was printed for the Committee of Imperial Defence. I laid this before Sir John French, and later before his successor, Sir Douglas Haig. A portion of the first of these Variants may be quoted here:—

"3. *Caterpillars.*

"The cutting of the enemy's wire and the general domination of his firing-line can be effected by engines of this character. About seventy are now nearing completion in England, and should be inspected. None should be used until all can be used at once. They should be disposed secretly along the whole attacking front two or three hundred yards apart. Ten or fifteen minutes before the assault they engines should move forward over the best line of advance open, passing through or across our trenches at prepared points. They are capable of traversing any ordinary obstacle, ditch, breastwork, or trench.

"They carry two or three Maxims each, and can be fitted with flame apparatus. Nothing but a direct hit from a field gun will stop them. On reaching the enemy's wire they turn to the left or right and run down parallel to the enemy's trench, sweeping his parapet with their fire, and crushing and cutting the barbed wire in lanes and in a slightly serpentine course. While doing this the caterpillars will be so close to the enemy's line that they will be immune from his artillery. Through the gaps thus made the shield-bearing infantry will advance."

"*If artillery is used to cut wire, the direction and imminence of the attack are proclaimed days beforehand. But by this method the assault follows the wire-cutting almost immediately, i.e., before any reinforcements can be brought up by the enemy, or any special defensive measures taken.** . . ."

Misuse of the Tank.

The scheme of attack by caterpillar vehicles thus unfolded was not put into operation until the first Battle of Cambrai in November, 1917. In the light of years of experience many errors can be detected in this forecast; but it might well have served as a basis for intense military study. Three months later, in February, 1916, Colonel Swinton, who was serving on the Secretariat of the Committee of Imperial Defence, and had witnessed the early trials of "Mother Tank," set forth and printed in careful and accurate detail the plan of a tank battle on a great scale.

In spite of this it took the High Command nearly two whole years more to learn to use tanks in the manner and conditions for which they were originally conceived. During the interval every conceivable mistake was committed which lack of comprehension could suggest. The first twenty tanks, in spite of my protests and the far more potent objections of Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George, were improvidently exposed to the enemy at the Battle of the Somme. The immense advantage of novelty and surprise was thus squandered while the number of the tanks was small, while their condition was experimental and their crews almost untrained.

This priceless conception, containing, if used in its integrity and on a sufficient scale, the certainty of a great and brilliant victory, was revealed to the Germans for the mere petty purpose of taking a few ruined villages. Mercifully the high military authorities of all countries belonged to the same school of thought. The revelation passed unappreciated by the German Command. Though full of novelty and terror, the tank could no longer be an apparation, but at least we were not ourselves confronted with German tanks in large numbers in 1917.

That year was to witness the further misuse of the British tank. Instead of employing them all at once in dry weather on ground not torn by bombardment, in some new sector where they could operate very easily and by surprise, they were plunged in fours and fives as a mere minor adjunct of the infantry into the quagmires and crater-fields of Passchendaele.

The enemy was familiarised with them by their piecemeal use; and they themselves were brought wallowing to a standstill in the mud. Indeed, at the end of 1917 many high authorities in the British Army had become almost convinced that they were useless, and gilded wiseacres were beginning to unearth again their original condemnations of such unprofessional exp

later disastrous. It was not until 1918 that the combination of smoke with tanks, and the use of smoke to cover the advance of numbers of tanks, were actually adopted in the field. Had the war continued into 1919, every tank would have possessed the means of making its own smoke, and all tank operations would have been conducted under clouds of artificial fog.

But after the Battle of Cambrai the fame of the tanks was secure, and henceforward throughout 1918 they throughout 1918 they became to the eyes of friend and foe alike the great decisive weapon and distinctive feature of the British, French, and American offensives.

Gas and Smoke Screens.

Early in September, 1914, Lieutenant-General Lord Dundonald, the grandson of the famous Admiral Cochrane, spoke to Lord Kitchener of various plans left by his ancestor for making smoke screens, and also for driving an enemy from his position by means of noxious, though not necessarily deadly, fumes. "Lord Kitchener," writes Lord Dundonald, "at once told me that he did not consider that the plans were of any use for land operations, and, as they were invented by an admiral, I had better see the Admiralty about them."

Lord Dundonald, therefore, obtained an introduction to the Second Sea Lord, Sir Frederick Hamilton with whom he had an interview on September 28.

The Second Sea Lord was generally favourable, and wrote (September 29):—"I have talked the matter over with Prince Louis, and he thinks you had better see Churchill and not mention us. I had served in Lord Dundonald's Brigade in South Africa during the relief of Ladysmith, and I at once made an appointment to receive him. I was immediately interested in his ideas, and asked to see the plans of the illustrious Cochrane.

Lord Dundonald replied after a few days' consideration that he felt that the national emergency at last justified him in revealing the secret which he had guarded all his life, and in the middle of October he brought me the historic papers which once before, in the Crimean War, had been placed at the disposal of the British Government.

On the inner covering of the packet, in the delicate writing of the old Admiral, were the words: "To the Imperial mind one sentence will suffice: All fortifications, especially marine fortifications can under cover of dense smoke be irresistibly subdued by fumes of sulphur kindled in masses to windward of their ramparts."

The reader, captivated by the compliment, will, no doubt, rise to the occasion and grasp at once the full significance of the idea. I sent for the First Sea Lord (Prince Louis of Battenberg) without delay, and we had a prolonged discussion.

Novel or Obsolete?

I now cast about for means of exploring the subject without endangering its secrecy. In the first instance I had recourse to Sir Arthur Wilson, whose practical and inventive turn of mind seemed specially adapted to the task. The results were, however, negative.

Mr. Churchill to Lord Dundonald.
October 18, 1914.

"Sir Arthur Wilson thought the scheme obsolete on account of modern conditions, and it was useless to pursue it with him. I do not share these views, and am considering how and when progress may be made. Meanwhile, with many thanks, I return you your most interesting documents."

Lord Dundonald to Mr. Churchill.
October 24, 1914.

"The term 'obsolete' does not describe a novel departure. You, I know, place an accurate value on the criticism. I must trust that the secret will be maintained by the officers to whom you entrust it. . . . I feel sure that you will help my wish to conduct land operations under the plan if agreed that the Navy is out of it."

During the weeks that followed Lord Dundonald continued to send me admirable suggestions, based on his grandfather's ideas, and I continued to endeavour to secure in secrecy powerful personal endorsement. For instance:

Lord Dundonald to Mr. Churchill.
October, 1914.

"This method of warfare, once divulged, can, of course, be employed by any nation, but, as far as it is possible to foresee, an island nation with the command of the sea need fear little, but, on the contrary, may gain much.

"Since these plans were invented by Admiral Lord Dundonald in 1811 (two years after he had conducted the explosion and fire ships in Basque Roads) certain factors which must facilitate their employment have been evolved such as mechanically-driven driven vessels, horseless vehicles, rapidity of communication, and noxious fume-proof helmets.

"The successful use of the plan above all depends on a favourable wind . . . The wind statistics from the coast of Holland to Berlin show that the wind from westerly directions is far more prevalent than from the opposite or eastern section of the compass; especially is this so during November, December, January, and February. . . .

". . . The vehicles with sulphur would be conducted and operated by men in gas-proof helmets . . . An attack against miles of entrenchment would be made on sectional fronts by sulphur and smoke, the intervening blocks where sulphur would not be employed being smoked only, in order to blind the hostile artillery."

German Purchases.

There can be no question but that Lord Dundonald had grasped at this time the whole idea of gas and smoke warfare, and that he had derived it directly from the papers of his grandfather. To these conceptions modern chemistry offered terrible possibilities. The use of noxious or poisonous fumes was explicitly prohibited by International Law.

We could not, therefore, employ it ourselves unless and until the enemy himself began. But when, from time to time, amid the rush of the war, I turned my mind to this subject, and thought of German chemical science and German mentality, I became increasingly disquieted. As it was very difficult to obtain any high military or naval assistance, and I had not the life and strength to carry this additional load of thought myself, I turned to another quarter.

Mr. Churchill to Lord Dundonald.
January 1, 1915.

"After very careful consideration, I think you should lay your grandfather's scheme before Colonel Hankey, the Secretary of the Committee of Imperial Defence. He has himself been pursuing considerable investigations in a similar, though not identical, direction.

"I notice also with some misgiving attempts by the German Government to purchase sulphur on an exceptionally large scale."

The enormous pressure of the war upon those engaged in conducting it made progress very slow, but on March 15 Colonel Hankey, who had been making himself some experiments, wrote to Lord Dundonald that: "In connection with the Dardanelles operations it may be desirable in certain circumstances to produce a large smoke screen."

I now found Admiralty affairs directly affected, and on March 21 I ordered a strong Technical Committee on the subject to be formed under the presidency of Lord Dundonald. I made it clear, however, that we could not depart from the accepted Laws of War.

Mr. Masterton-Smith to Lord Dundonald*
March 31, 1915.

"Mr. Churchill asked me to write and confirm a decision already communicated to you by Colonel Hankey, that while the smoke experiments are to be continued it is not intended for the present to proceed with the more important proposal (*i.e.*, experiments in noxious fumes). Mr Churchill agrees that it would not be expedient to introduce into the war elements which might justify the enemy in having recourse to inhuman reprisals. At the same time Mr. Churchill wishes me to convey to you his sense of deep obligation for the ungrudging manner in which you have placed at his disposal your exceptional knowledge."

Slow Progress.

I now kept in close touch with the work of the Committee, but progress, even in the limited sphere to which we were confined by International Law and State policy, was slow and fitful.

April 5, 1915.

SMOKE.

"We are simply pottering with this subject, which my reflections increasingly lead me to suppose is fraught with most hopeful possibilities, both as regards operations on land and especially at sea.

"Action must now proceed at once. Let the ten best recipes for smoke mixture be made up into large barrels or other receptacles, and let these be taken during this week to Eastchurch or the Isle of Grain, or some other convenient place, and have them lighted up one after the other. I will endeavour myself to attend to witness the experiments.

"Let fifteen or twenty suitable small craft be selected and the names submitted to form the home service smoke-burning flotilla. Let also twenty of those big Belgian canal barges be selected and prepared as destructible smoke-ships. Let all these vessels be filled with what is ascertained to be the best smoke mixture. Probably 5,000 or 6,000 tons of material will be required. Let tugs be earmarked for service with these vessels when required. Let all preparations of vessels proceed in anticipation of the choice of smoke mixture and of the purchase of smoke material. Let small steamboats be earmarked for attendance on the flotilla when required.

"For land service, let a lorry capable of being towed or pushed by an armoured car be designed, on which lorry a large smoke-burning furnace or kiln of iron can be erected. It is essential that this furnace should be capable of being immediately closed so as to stop combustion and turn off the smoke at any moment. Let proposals be put forward for obtaining 100 of these, by whatever means will least interfere with production for existing services. Make sure, however, that the naval part of this work is not delayed or impeded on account of the land part.

"W. S. C."

Mr. Churchill to Sir John French.
April 10, 1915.

"I have seen some wonderful smoke-making experiments carried out by my directions. A light portable metal cone of the simplest construction, 3 feet high and 6 feet wide at the base, is fed by gravity at the base with benzol. The oil spreads over the surface of the cone, causing a dense smoke which you can turn off instantaneously by a tap on the fuel supply.

"I am developing this system for naval purposes, but my reflections lead me increasingly to believe in its importance in the kind of warfare you are now waging. If the wind were favourable you could blanket off absolutely in a few minutes a whole sector of the enemy's artillery and rifle fire. You could use it to cut out a particular village or line of trenches till your men were actually upon them with the bayonet. Or, again, you could cover the bringing up to the decisive point of a large mass of cavalry at the critical moment.

"I imagine the whole apparatus, with smoke; but the new method is preferable, off half a mile of ground and putting a much wider area in haze, could be carried on a motor lorry; and if this were protected by a light plating it could run right up in advance of the troops to the required point.

"They showed me at Woolwich barrels of another mixture, solid, which they had prepared for the Army in the field but which had never been asked for. It made a fine smoke; but the new method is preferable because of its greater mobility and the power of turning it off and on at any moment. If you like, I can make an experimental outfit of one car and send it across for you to see."

On April 22, 1915, the Germans, violating the Laws of War, made their first poison-gas attack, and the second battle of Ypres began. This crime and folly was destined in the end to expose them to severe retaliation from those who had the advantage of the prevailing winds, and in the end of the superior science; but who had hitherto been restrained by respect for international usage from turning their favourable position to account.

(To be continued to-morrow.)

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DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH.—A concert will be held in the Abbey Hall, Lower Abbey street, to-night, at 7.45, in connection with St. Thomas's Bazaar, which is to be held in the Metropolitan Hall next month, in aid of the Choir Fund. One of the objects of the bazaar is to raise money to complete the furnishing of the Parochial Hall as a temporary church, necessitated by the burning of the parish church on July 6 last year. A number of well-known entertainers will contribute to the programme of to-night's concert.

"A GLIMPSE OF PALESTINE."—To-day, in St. James's Schoolhouse, South Circular road, scenes illustrating life and customs in the Holy Land will be given in costume. The scenes will be produced by Miss Gribe, who has recently returned from Palestine. Twenty performers will take part.

NEW ROLLER SKATING RINK.—Messrs. MacArthur and Co. have completed the sale of an extensive building close to the city. The premises will be opened shortly as a roller skating rink.

LEINSTER.

RABBIT POACHING.—At Portarlington District Court, Patrick Gannon and John Byrne were summoned under the Larceny Act, at the prosecution of the Earl of Portarlington, for having, on various occasions, taken rabbits from Emo Park. Complainant's agent said that the estate owner made a regular business of rearing rabbits, kept a staff of men for looking after them, and a staff for killing them. They killed from 8,000 to 10,000 rabbits a year, and it was a very valuable asset. Three cases were proved against Gannon and two against Byrne. The prosecuting solicitor asked for a severe penalty, and said that, owing to the state of the country, this sort of thing had increased. It was not only in Lord Portarlington's interest, but in the interest of the State that game should be preserved. Gannon, one of the defendants, said "that if a man cannot get labour, he must get grub somewhere else. I think it is decenter to look for a rabbit than for something else." The magistrate said that it was "not decenter to look for a rabbit than to look for work." Gannon—But, sure, we cannot get work. The defendants were fined 5s. and costs in each of the cases. The magistrate said that in future he would not be so lenient.

15 YEARS TO BUILD A COTTAGE.—A man has just gone into occupation of a cottage built for the Ballymahon, Co. Longford, Rural District Council at Derryveigh, after waiting for the accommodation for 15 years. The walls of the cottage were built in 1908; then a dispute with the contractor occurred, and the work stopped. The war broke out, and then the cost of material went up, and so the house remained unfinished until a year ago.

REPENTED WHEN CAUGHT.—Charged with stealing a ham from the Midland Warehouse in Longford, John Mimnagh, of Drumlish, has been sentenced to two months' imprisonment. When stopped by a Civic Guard some distance from the town the ham was found in his possession, and the accused man said that he was sorry for taking it. You were sorry when your were caught," said the magistrate.

NOTED BOXER INJURED.—While at work in Balbriggan, James M'Dermott, a plasterer, fell from a ladder, and sustained a compound fracture of his left arm. M'Dermott is well-known in boxing circles as "Jim M'Dermott, of Malahide," and has won several bouts in Dublin.

PIGS CHEAPER; BACON PRICES STATIONARY.—The price of pigs in Tullamore has fallen by 10s a cwt. in a fortnight. The farmers, however, find that bacon retailed in the shops is as dear as ever, notwithstanding the fall in pig prices, and are in many cases selling their pigs and curing bacon for home use.

MUNSTER

HOUSES FOR EX-SERVICE MEN.—Colonel Kirkwood has visited Kinsale and discussed with the local authorities a scheme for the erection of houses for ex-Service men. Land suitable for the houses will be inspected and sites acquired at an early date. The work will give much-needed employment in the Kinsale district.

CHURCH FOR SALE.—The building known as the "independent church" in Oliver Plunkett street, Kinsale, is for sale. It has not been used as a place of worship for some time. The building, which is in the Gothic style and presents a fine appearance, is held for 900 years at £3 10s. a year.

PRIVATE ENTERPRISE IN KILKEE.—A committee has been formed in Kilkee to collect subscriptions for a proposed electric light plant for the town. So far the appeal has been very successful, a sum of £3,500 having been subscribed by the inhabitants.

LOW RENTS AND LIABILITY FOR RATES.—Nenagh Urban Council adopted a resolution from the Midleton Urban Council calling on the Government to introduce legislation which will make landlords liable for rates where the valuations are £4 and under.

ULSTER.

FARMER'S NIGHT OF TERROR.—Joshua Colhoun, an elderly farmer, Carnone, Raphoe, Co. Donegal, claimed compensation at Buncrana for a raid on his house in September, 1922. He said that armed men broke into the house after he had gone to bed. They threatened to shoot him, pulled him downstairs, kicked him, broke his ribs and generally battered him. He thought that he was going to be murdered, and so told the men to take everything that was in the house, but not to shoot him. They stole watches and jewellery belonging to his wife, and took everything that they could carry out of the house. The applicant was awarded £5 and costs.

Mr. T. Heenan, Ballyhaden, Borrisokane, Co. Tipperary, has been appointed a Peace Commissioner.

Nenagh Urban Council adopted the resolution of the Blackrock (Co. Dublin) Council, calling on the Government to institute an enquiry into the milk supply.

Mrs. Catherina Connor, Ballymahon, Co. Longford, has died at the age of 100, after a short illness.

Mr. Henry Farrell, of the Skerries branch of the Northern Bank, has been appointed manager of the Elphin branch.

It has been ascertained that the remains of the lad washed ashore at Trearddur Bay, Anglesea, on Wednesday, were those of Joseph Moore, one of the two boys who did not return from a fishing expedition to the rocks at the foot of Howth Head.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

THE DOGS' NIGHT OUT.—At Armagh Petty Sessions yesterday five men were summoned for allowing their dogs to be at large between the hours of sunset and sunrise. They pleaded that they had never seen a copy of the order made by the authorities. The resident magistrate said that he wished there was a similar order about cats. The defendants were ordered to pay 1s. costs. The chairman of the bench remarked that the order was excellent and beneficial.

CHRISTIAN COMRADESHIP—Despite politics, the customary good feeling between members of the various churches in Enniskillen continues. Entertainments are now being held in connection with the Parochial Hall Bazaar, and Roman Catholics are lending their aid in many ways. At a concert and dramatic performance on Wednesday night, for the same object, the promoters and principal performers were members of the Presbyterian Church, and members of the Methodist community also assisted.

LEVEL OF LOUGH ERNE—Litigation is threatened over the level of Lough Erne. Dwellers on the lower lake complain that the waters are being kept much too low despite the recent heavy rainfall. On the upper lake, lands have been flooded since early in August.

SHEEP-DIPPING ORDERS.—Seven farmers were fined 1s. to 5s. at Ballygawley, County Tyrone, Petty Sessions for failing to produce dipping declarations when selling sheep at Ballygawley fair.

£40 POTEEN FINE.—Francis Mulgrew, of Cranhome, was, at Ballygawley, Co. Tyrone, fined £40 for having a quantity of poteen, "wash," and a still concealed on his farm.

Owing to unfavourable weather the air mail flight to Belfast yesterday was abandoned.

Armagh City Council has accepted a tender for the construction of two new filter beds at the city reservoir for £2,395 18s.

A tender for a supply of concrete flags at 5s. 9d. a square yard has been accepted by the Lurgan Urban Council. In reply to a councillor, the Town Surveyor said that the Council's workmen could make at least as good a flag at two-thirds this price.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN

HIGHEST RATIO SINCE MAY.

Changes in this week's Bank return are mostly small. The reserve is £545,000 up at a little over £24,000,000, and, although the deposits showed an increase, the proportion to liabilities is ¼ better at 20½ per cent., which is the highest ratio since May 25 last. There was an addition of £421,000 to the "other securities" and of about £390,000 to the Government securities, so that, with the increase in the reserve, the effect of an addition of £2,290,000 to the public deposits was largely neutralised, and the decline in the "other deposits," as representing the balances of the market, was less than £1,000,000, the total being reduced to a little under £104,000,000.

WEEK ENDED 18TH OCTOBER, 1923.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£145,592,480	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Securities	8,734,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	125,842,480
	£145,592,480		£145,592,480

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£41,608,508
Rest	3,087,097	Other Securities	71,730,675
Public deposits	15,792,186	Notes	22,229,760
Other Deposits	103,959,043	Gold & Silver Coin	1,828,226
7-day & other Bills	5,841		
	£137,397,167		£137,397,167

Compared with last week:	Increase.	Decrease.
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	£	£ 546,410
Public Deposits	2,290,791	
Other Deposits	—	951,948
Government Securities	379,672	—
Other Securities	421,214	—
Bullion	148	—
Rest	7,996	—
Reserve	549,795	—

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities 20½ % against 19½ % last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	1923. £	1922. £	1921. £
	123,362,720	121,689,530	123,684,130
Public Deposits	15,792,186	12,217,903	14,793,597
Other Deposits	103,959,043	109,167,203	156,808,859
Govt. Securities	41,608,508	46,057,900	79,715,907
Other Securities	71,730,675	68,836,204	86,415,684
Reserve of Notes & Coin	24,057,966	24,195,924	23,182,931
Coin & Bullion	127,670,706	127,425,454	128,417,061
Reserve to Liabilities	20½ %	19½ %	13½ %
Bank Rate	4%	3%	5½ %
Consols	53½	57¼	48¾
Bar Silver	31¾d.	34¾d.	39¾d.
Clearinghouse Return	£ 671,750,000	£ 715,447,000	£ 632,040,000

PROMOTION OF LIEUTENANT E. A. SMITH, M.C.

Lieutenant E. A. Smith, M.C., of the Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry (52nd), stationed at Rawal Pindi, India, has been promoted to the rank of Captain. Captain Smith, who is the fourth son of the late Mr. Robert Smith and Mrs. Smith, of Fort Hill, Athlone, served during the late war with the Connaught Rangers, and was awarded the Military Cross in 1918.

FINED FOR EXCESSIVE SPEED.

In the Dublin Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Collins, K.C., Mr. Joseph Johnston, F.,T.C.D., was fined £3 for driving a motor car at an excessive speed on the Stillorgan road on September 18. The magistrate refused to entertain an objection by the defence against the wording of the summons, and declined an application to have a case stated.

FREE STATE FEMALE WRITING ASSISTANTS. (Limited Competition.) Exam. Announced for 20th November. A Special Class will commence this evening at 7 p.m. at SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green.—(Advt.)

U.S. MARKETS.

IRREGULAR CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Stocks opened firm. Leaders were supported and advanced slightly, despite the continued selling of minor shares. Chain Department Store issues were conspicuously strong on reports of good earnings, but the late weakness shown by Pan-American Petroleum and Rubber shares caused uneasiness. The market closed irregular. Government Bonds irregular. Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 450,000 shares. Money on call easy, closing at 4 p.c. bid and 4½ p.c. asked. Actual loans were from 4 to 4½ p.c., the ruling rate being 4½ p.c., and last loan 4 p.c. Prime Mercantile paper was quoted at 5½ p.c. Sterling exchange easy. Silver unaltered for foreign mined at 63¼.

Reading First Preferred and Royal Dutch Petroleum advanced 1; National Lead 1; International Mercantile Marine Common ½; International Mercantile Marine Preferred 3½, and Shell Ordinary 1½.

Louisville and Nashville, Reading Shares, American Smelting and Refining Common, and Ansconda Copper declined ½; Chicago North-Western Ordinary ½; Northern Pacific Common 1, and Pan-American Petroleum Ord. and U.S. Rubber 1½.

Exp. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Wed	Thur	Business Done. H.	L.
112¾	Funded	102¼	103¾	—	—
100⅝	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	95⅜	96	—	—
90⅛	Do. Preference	87⅜	88¼	—	—
82	Baltimore and Ohio	65¾	66⅜	—	—
150⅝	Canadian Pacific	141½	142	—	—
71⅞	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	68⅝	68	—	—
110⅝	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	104⅜	104⅝	—	—
95⅛	Chicago and N.-West.	89	89¾	—	—
24⅛	Erie 1st Preferred	21¾	21¾	—	—
34⅜	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	29½	29¾	—	—
87⅛	Great Northern Pref.	83	83¼	—	—
113⅜	Illinois Central	104	104⅜	—	—
64⅛	Lehigh Valley	58⅜	58⅜	—	—
95	Louisville & Nashville	89	89	—	—
12⅝	Missouri, Kan. & Texas	11¾	11¾	—	—
70½	Do. New 4% Bonds	63¾	63¾	—	—
86⅝	Do. Adj. 5% Bonds	80¾	80¾	—	—
1⅞	Missouri Pacific New	1¾	1¾	—	—
4½	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	4	4	—	—
3⅝	Do 2nd Pref.	3¾	3¾	—	—
110⅛	N.Y. Cit. & Hudson R.	102¾	103	—	—
113⅜	Norfolk & West. Com.	101½	101½	—	—
85¾	Northern Pacific Com.	79¾	80¼	—	—
27⅜	Ontario and Western	25⅝	25⅝	—	—
46⅜	Pennsylvania Shares	41¾	41¾	—	—
62⅜	Reading Shares	57	57¼	—	—
10⅝	Do. 1st Preferred	9¾	9¾	—	—
95⅛	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	87	86¾	—	—
36	Southern Railway	32⅝	32½	—	—
91⅝	Southern Pacific	83¾	83⅞	—	—
20⅛	Texas and Pacific	18¼	18¼	—	—
141	Union Pacific	127¾	127¾	—	—
78¾	Do. Pref.	71	70¾	—	—
101⅜	Do. 4% Bonds	91½	91½	—	—
10⅛	Wabash Common	9½	9¾	—	—
31⅜	Do. Preferred A	30¼	30¼	—	—
13⅛	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com.	86	85½	—	—
94⅛	Anaconda Copper	83¾	85⅞	—	—
3⅜	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	2¾	2⅞	—	—
96⅝	N.Y. Cons. Gas	86¾	86¾	—	—
88	General Electric	170	170½	—	—
96⅜	U.S. Steel Common	87¾	87¾	—	—
151⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	119	118¾	—	—
112⅜	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	102¾	102¾	—	—
29⅛	Silver (Foreign Mined)	25¾	25¾	—	—
8⅝	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	7¾	7¾	—	—
29⅛	Do. Prefd Certs	23½	24¾	—	—
50	Royal Dutch Oil	44¾	45¾	—	—
45⅛	Shell Transport	39¾	40	—	—
50⅞	Pan-American Pet.	45¾	44½	—	—
18¾	Anglo-American Oil	14½	14¾	—	—
18⅜	General Motors	15¾	15¾	—	—
39¾	U.S. Rubber	33⅞	34½	—	—

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

	Wednesday	Thursday
Call Money	4b. 4¾a.	4b. 4¾a.
Ex on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.80.00	4.49.75
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.82.75	4.82.37½
Cable Transfers	4.83.00	4.82.62½
Ex. on Paris	4.05¼	4.05
Ex. on Berlin	.000000,02	.00.00,01½
Cotton Mid. Upland	29.05	29.60
Do., New Orleans, Mid.	29.50	29.90
Cottonseed Oil, Summ. Yellow Spot	11.75	12.20
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., Dec.	10.60	10.50
Petro. Refined, in cases	13.90	14.90
Do. Standard White	13.00	13.00
Do. Philad. Stan. do.	13.00	13.00
Do., Pennsyl., Crude	2.75	2.75
Spirits of Turpentine	104	101
Do. Savannah Do.	Nominal.	Nominal.
Resin, Grade K	4.47½	4.47½
Do. Grade F	4.47½	4.47½
Lard, Prime West. Sum.	18.45	18.37½
Do. Middling West.	13.03—12.15	13.00—12.10
Tallow Extra	8.00	8.00
Sugar New Cuban	7.06	7.06
Corn, No. 2 Mix.	128	128
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	122	121¾
Do. No. 2 Red Winter	122	121
Do. No. 2 Mix. Drm.	111	110
Coffee Spot	11¾	11¾
Flour Spring Clears	5.25—5.75	5.25—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	22.00—22.50	22.00—22.50
Tin, Straits	41.87½	41.12½
Zinc, East St. Louis	6.37½	6.42½
Electrolytic Cop. Spot	12¾—13	12¾—13
Do. do., Futures	12¾—13	12¾—13
Freight, Heavy Grain to Liverpool	2/6	2/6
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel.	12	12
Freight, Coal, to Liverpool (high density)	25	25
Do., Stand (per 2240lb.)	30	30

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

WHEAT.—Spot market easy, 1c. to 1c. lower. 65 boatloads of wheat were engaged to-day by exporters. Receipts—Atlantic, 574,000; last year, 581,000. Clearances, 892,000; last year, 127,000.

FLOUR barely steady.

CORN on spot easy at 1c. fall. Receipts—Atlantic, 19,000; last year, 498,000. Clearances, nil; last year, 278,000.

LARD—Cash quiet, 7½ to 5 points lower.

COFFEE opened easy 5 to 9 points lower, on European selling, but rallied later owing to trade interests buying and shorts covering. The market closed steady at an all round advance of 5 points. Spot steady and unchanged. Approximate sales, 20,000 bags. December, 9.00; March, 8.38; May, 8.04; July, 7.87; September, 7.74.

RUBBER firm, 1c. dearer. First latex crepe, 27½; smoked ribbed sheets 26¾.

SUGAR steady. Porto Rico unquoted. Futures steady, 8 points down to 3 up. Approximate future sugar sales, 14,000 tons. October, 6.00; December, 5.16; March, 4.08; May, 4.16. To-day's sales—22,000 bags of Cuban to refiners at 7.66, for prompt shipment, and 7,000 bags of Peruvian at 7.59 for shipment first half of November.

COTTON opened steady, 6 points lower to 7 points higher. Values rose in the early dealings, owing to the official weather reports being considered unfavourable, also an encouraging cable news, buying by foreign interests, and better Manchester advices, but the market reacted afterwards on Wall street houses selling, the unsatisfactory condition of the cotton goods trade, weakness at New Orleans, and expectations of large "notices." Heavier exports caused some covering, but under bear pressure prices drooped again, and at 12 o'clock the market was about steady, at 33 to 10 points fall. Spot quiet, 25 points lower. New Orleans spot 50 points down. 300,000 tons of cotton seed have been crushed since 1st August. Receipts—Atlantic, 5,000; Gulf, 5,000; Pacific, 2,000. Exports—Britain, 31,000; Continent, 57,000; Japan, 9,000. Futures in last 20 seconds of trading:—October, lowest 29.23, highest, 29.33; November 28.93, 28.93; December 28.83, 28.85; January 28.32, 28.35; February 28.35, 28.35; March 28.39, 28.40; April 28.40, 28.40; May, 28.43, 28.46; June 28.10, 28.10; July 27.97, 27.97; August 26.70, 26.70; September 25.95, 25.95. New Orleans cotton futures in last minute of trading—January, lowest 28.34, highest 28.25; March 28.19, 28.27.

COTTON OIL easy at the quotations.

PETROLEUM steady at unchanged rates.

KANSAS CITY.—Wheat easy and 1c. cheaper. No. 2 hard winter, 115¼.

ST. LOUIS.—Wheat steady, ½c. up. No. 2 red winter, 115.

MINNEAPOLIS.—Wheat easy, ½c. lower. No. 1 Northern spring, 116¼.

WINNIPEG.—Wheat opened steady, ½c. down to unchanged, and closed easy, ½c. cheaper. December, 95½; May, 98¾. Oats steady and ½c. lower. December, 38¾.

CHICAGO Thursday.

WHEAT opened easy, ½c. to ¾c. down, and after more declines, due to increasing stocks and a slack export and outside demand, took a forward move under smaller interior receipts, shorts covering, and milling demand. Finally, however, on commission house selling and liquidation, the market closed easy at ½c. to ¾c. net lower. Spot irregular. No. 2 hard winter spot, 109½; No. 3 hard winter spot, 108. December 105½; May, 110½; July, 107½.

CORN easy at ½c. to ¾c. decline and went lower on predictions of improved weather and liquidation; then rallied on small country offerings and receipts and covering, but again weakened owing to predictions of increased receipts and realising. The market closed irregular, ½c. to ¾c. lower. Spot No. 2 mixed, 110. December, 76½; May, 74; July, 74½.

OATS steady at ½c. fall. December, 42½; May, 44½; July, 44.

PROVISIONS opened easy, and declined on lower hogs, heavy receipts a selling movement, with packers and local traders leading, and liquidation. The speculative sentiment was quite bearish, and the market closed barely steady, with lard 24 to 12½ points, and ribs unchanged to 12½ points down. Pork unquoted. Lard—October, 12.17½; December, 11.37½; January, 10.97½. Ribs—October, 9.40; January, 9.12½.

BACON steady 12½ points down to unchanged. The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since the 1st of March, total 21,904,000, against 17,360,000 for the same season last year.

HOGS went with light 40 to 35 points, and heavy 25 points cheaper.

	Short Rib Sides.	HOGS.			
	Drysalted. Loose.	160 to 230 lbs.	240 to 320 lbs.		
To-day	9.00	10.50	6.75	7.65	7.20 7.75
Prev. day	9.12½	10.50	7.15	8.00	7.45 8.00

THE LATE BROTHER NOLAN.

The funeral of the late Brother M. A. Nolan, of the community of the Irish Christian Brothers, took place yesterday at the Ariane School, Dublin, after Requiem High Mass in the chapel attached to the school. The celebrant at the High Mass was the Rev. Father Xavier, C.P.; assisted by the Rev. John Nolan, deacon; the Rev. Paul Rafter, sub-deacon, and the Rev. T. Kelly, S.J., master of ceremonies.

Amongst the Christian Brothers present were Brother S. H. Butler, representing the Superior-General; Brother J. P. Noonan, and Brother Stapleton, provincial.

The chief mourners were:—Messrs. Joseph and Patrick (brothers), Thomas, Michael, Harry, Leo and Francis (nephews), and the Misses Nolan (nieces), Mrs. Kirwan, and Mr. Patrick O'Connor. There was a large attendance of the clergy and the laity.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE FREE STATE LOAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—With much of what is contained in your special article on the above subject I am in agreement. But why does the author dismiss Premium Bonds as bristling with difficulties, both financial and ethical? I have talked with, literally, dozens of our bankers, solicitors and men of affairs, and have found their opinion practically unanimous that Premium Bonds in Ireland, if offered on suitable terms and conditions, would "go like hot cakes."

It is too late in the day to treat Premium Bonds as being unorthodox either financially or ethically. The most financially sound and purist nations have resorted to them because they find that the speculative element broadens the basis of popular appeal and consequently elicits the most abundant financial response. Since the Great War Belgium has successfully floated two loans of one thousand million francs each by issuing Premium Bonds; France has successfully floated four loans—two of four thousand million francs and two of three thousand million francs each—by issuing Premium Bonds. England herself issued Victory Bonds to the amount of upwards of £350,000,000 sterling upon the Premium Bond principle—*viz.*, the bonds of £100 face value were issued at £85, with a provision for immediate annual drawings by lot for the redemption of a certain number of the bonds at £100, or, in other words, with a premium of £15 on £85.

Much interesting information on the subject can be obtained from the report, dated January, 1918, of the Select Committee of the British House of Commons which investigated the subject. The overwhelming weight of the evidence from bankers, stockbrokers, Chambers of Commerce, and so on, was in favour of Premium Bonds as conducive to private thrift and a broad, popular basis of support for national finance. But there was a Coalition Government and a House of Commons pledged against any controversial legislation, and the opposition of a minority, mostly representing, or influenced by, the militant Nonconformist conscience, was so keen that the Committee felt itself debarred from making a positive recommendation of Premium Bonds until existing methods of borrowing had been further tried on more liberal terms. But since that report the Belgian, French and English borrowings referred to above have all taken place.

In my judgment, the most promising method for the Government borrowing from the Irish public is by Premium Bonds, subject to there being a skilful propaganda preparation, such as the author of your special article so wisely recommends. It would be much the cheapest borrowing and a moderate sum—say, £10,000,000—could be issued first as a test of the absorbent qualities of the market. If successful, the experiment could be repeated after a few months. Who would fail to buy a £5 bond if the mere possession of it (and interest thereon) entitled him some four times a year, and for years to come, to a chance of winning £10,000, or one of the numerous smaller premiums?

Of course, tinkering with the currency, inflation and forced loans are counsels of despair, and their adoption would be mere foolishness at the present juncture.—Yours, etc.,

HENRY HARRISON.

Dublin, October 18th, 1923.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—I read with interest the article by your correspondent on the Free State Loan, and thoroughly agree with all his remarks. I feel sure that before the Government can hope for much response for an internal loan it will be necessary to assure those subscribing to it that, if they subscribe good English pound notes, they will always be certain to receive the same back again, both for capital and interest, and that there will be no question of an Irish currency being used to pay this loan. Otherwise, most of us will probably prefer to keep our English money.

Also, as the Government will have to appeal to the income tax-paying class (as already stated by you), it will be necessary to placate them by careful consideration as regards requiring them to pay money before it is recovered from England, etc. In fact, the duty of recovering the money

PEACE IN THE AIR.

MORE HOPEFUL VIEW OF DOCK STRIKE.

AWAITING THE DUBLIN BALLOT.

Although the position as regards dockers in Dublin underwent no change yesterday, it is generally believed that a settlement is in sight. A great deal depends upon the decision of the Dublin dockers' section of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union. If they agree to ballot on the Government's proposals, it is likely that the majority will vote in favour of acceptance. If, however, some of the leaders persist in their objection to a ballot, the deadlock in Dublin may continue until the Government takes measures to end it.

Should a ballot of Dublin dockers take place next Monday, the result of the national ballot will be available on Tuesday, and, if it favours a settlement, work in all the ports will be resumed before the end of next week.

CATTLE FOR EXPORT.

At the Dublin Cattle Market yesterday there was a surprisingly good trade for prime cattle. Prices ranged up to 45s. per cwt. live weight, or 1s. per cwt. more than last week, and considerable numbers were sold for export *via* the Great Northern Railway. The roadway up to the company's goods yard in Sheriff street resembled a well-filled fair green yesterday evening, and no fewer than 300 cattle wagons had to be provided. Some of the stock were intended for Glasgow while there was also a demand for beef from English ports where Irish stock can be landed for slaughter. In the case of many of these places, local supplies are cut off owing to foot-and-mouth restrictions. Hence the demand on the Dublin market.

Should there be no settlement of the dockers' strike next week, it is almost certain that shipments will be made by a number of cattle traders. It is said that these men are determined to open the port for the export of cattle. They have secured men who will undertake the droving; they have the ships; and they will try to save the live stock industry from ruin.

One of the largest cattle exporters told an *Irish Times* representative yesterday that they wanted proper accommodation and shipping facilities. The whole country was up in rebellion against the holding up of the port, and they were prepared to fight in order to bring about a remedy.

As a precautionary measure yesterday, there was a strong force of police at the North Wall, outside the premises of the London, Midland, and Scottish Railway and the British and Irish Steam Packet Co., but, in accordance with the decision of cattle shippers to await the result of the dockers' ballot, no attempt was made to ship stock.

With regard to the arrival of the ss. Lady Brussells, on Wednesday, it is understood that only five out of a crew of seventeen were induced to leave the vessel, so that she had sufficient sailors and firemen to bring her across the Channel on the same evening.

THE COAL TRADE.

Trouble has arisen in the coal trade owing to the refusal of employés of the Dublin General Steam Packet Company to handle coal for a master carrier, whose carters have been locked out. But for the negotiations for a settlement of the port trouble which are taking place, it is understood that the Coal Merchants' Association might have locked out 3,000 men in the coal trade.

There were no developments regarding the crane men employed by the Dublin Port and Docks Board. They still remain idle, and the discharging of vessels is proceeding slowly.

PEACE POSSIBLE.

At the meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday,

Mr. McCullagh referred to the present condition of the port, particularly with regard to the overseas trade.

The Chairman (Mr. David Barry)—I think there is possible peace in the air. I have been working for peace for fifteen weeks, and I think that it is better to say nothing for a few days.

SITUATION IN CORK.

The situation with regard to the Cork labour disputes shows no change, and no development is expected until after the ballot of the Dublin dockers.

THE GUINNESS RUMOUR.

DENIAL BY THE COMPANY.

Statements published in certain English newspapers yesterday to the effect that Messrs. Guinness have decided to establish a new brewery at Llangrhyddlad, Anglesey, were declared yesterday by the secretary of the company to be without foundation. When his attention was drawn to the statements by an *Irish Times* representative the Secretary said that he had already seen them. "There is no truth whatever in them," he declared, "and these papers are belittling themselves by publishing them. I never heard a word about the matter until I read the paragraphs this morning."

One London paper stated that the site of the proposed new brewery was about fourteen miles from Holyhead, and the enterprise, it was expected, "would provide employment for about 10,000 persons." Another paper, commenting on the purchase of land for the new brewery, said that the water in the district had been tested "and found excellent for brewing purposes."

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Friday, October 19, 1923.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Mein, pr. dts., Findlater and Co.; arrangt., ac. comp., White and White; do., do., J. H. Menton and Co.; Byrne, do., Fullerton and Doyle; Manthorpe, pr. dts., E. F. Collins; Doherty, ac. comp., Horan and Devine. Receiver Office. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock—Baron Harlech (E.C.), vouch.

DAIL EIREANN COURTS (WINDING UP) COMMISSION.—Dail Courts Commission Buildings, Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock. Before the Judicial Commissioners—P. Cullen v. R. Lewis; A. Lewis v. P. Cullen. Before the Assistant Commissioner—Delany v. Madigan; M'Carthy v. Buchalter.

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE RECORDER, at 11 o'clock. City of Dublin. Appeals from Magistrates—Murphy v. Power, appellant; Kavanagh v. Bassett, do.; Devaney v. McGovern, do.; Lalor v. Flood, do.; Byrne v. Cassidy, do.; same v. Stoper, do.; Hurley v. Gordon, do.; Griffin v. Frayne, do.; Corpn. of Dublin v. Doyle, do.; Carroll v. Byrne, do.; Dixon v. Price, do.; Gartlan v. Guilfoyle, do.; Mahon v. McLoughlin, do.; same v. Collins, do.; Corpn. of Dublin v. Hoey, do.; Murray v. Smyth, do.; Kehoe v. Joyce, do. Appeals under Licensing Acts—Bermingham v. Ryan, appellant; same v. same, do.; Dixon v. Kinane, do.; Flanagan v. Corr, do. County of Dublin. Appeals from Magistrates—Byrne v. Thompson, appellant; Forde v. Forde, do.; Rathmines U.D.C. v. Harrison, do. Appeal under Licensing Acts—Walsh v. Healy, appellant.

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THE IRISH HOMESTEAD

THIS WEEK:—

A WAY TO IRISH UNITY. — *Editorial.*

A NATIONAL BRAND FOR BUTTER. — *D. H...*

THE PROBLEM OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT. — *Sir John Keane.*

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By Appointment to H.M. Queen Alexandra.

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SHARP'S SUPER-KREEM TOFFEE

THE NORTH WALL SHEDS.

SWEEPING PROPOSAL AT PORT BOARD.

At the weekly meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday, Mr. David Barry, Chairman, presiding,

The Secretary (Mr. Baillie) read a letter from Messrs. Edward W. Turner and Son, referring to their steamer Amy Summerfield, which, they stated, had been awaiting a berth for the past week, and stating that they would hold the Board responsible for the delay and loss that they were suffering.

Chairman—This is a new subject that has turned up since last week dealing with a specific case.

The Board decided to refer the matter to their Engineer for report.

The Engineer reported that the electric crane drivers were ordered to cease work by two delegates representing, he understood, the Irish Transport Workers' Union, on Monday last.

The Chairman said that he thought the best thing to do with the report for the present was to mark it "noted."

Mr. P. T. Daly moved the following motion which stood on the notice paper in his name and that of Mr. William Paul:—"That all sheds, lairages, and shipping accommodation at present held, but not used, by companies controlled by Coast Lines, Ltd., be declared vacated, and allotted to applicants for such accommodation."

Mr. Daly said that he had a chart drawn up by a member of the Imperial Parliament, Mr. J. C. W. Newbold, and it was a very illuminating document. It drew attention to the ramifications of the company which had been named.

The Chairman asked Mr. Daly to speak to the notice of motion.

Mr. Daly said that at present there was a great demand for shipping accommodation in the Port of Dublin, but they were unable to give it owing to the monopoly of certain people, who claimed to be acting in the interests of the city and of the country and to allow no other interest to weigh with them. If his resolution were carried nothing could take place before December 31, and he expressed the opinion that the effect of it would be to remove the octopus which was at present strangling the Port of Dublin. He was amazed to find that even Vickers, Ltd., who were purchasing, or had an option on the Dublin Shipbuilding yard, were controlled by the combine of Coast Lines, Ltd. So long as the combine had the port at its mercy there would be no healthy competition and no chance for the extension of the port.

Mr. Paul seconded, and said that the members would be unworthy of their trust as public representatives if they did not utilise all the power they possessed to resist the machinations of the octopus to control the Port of Dublin, which was the principal artery of the trade and commerce of the country. He was proceeding to refer to what he described as the "Cuckoo Combine," in support of which, he alleged, that untruths were unscrupulously published in the Press, when

Mr. M'Laughlin protested that Mr. Paul's remarks were out of order.

The Lord Mayor said that Mr. Paul's remarks were not out of order.

Alderman Byrne—I think this discussion is not in any way helpful. The Government hope to have good news in the course of a few days, and I do not think the line taken by Councillor Paul is helpful to anyone. It may look good in the newspapers, but it is not helpful.

Mr. Paul continued to speak upon the question of shipping accommodation at the port, and said that several members of the Board were interested in Coast Lines, Ltd., in some way or other. For what purpose, he asked, were the quays lined with police? Not to prevent pillaging and robbery, but to see that the boats were loaded by force of arms. When preparations were being made to shoot down the people of the city it was time to speak out.

The Chairman—There is just as much truth in that statement as in any of the other statements that have been made about Coast Lines, Ltd.

Mr. Paul—I can mention them by name for you.

The Chairman put the motion, and declared it defeated by 17 votes to 7.

COST OF LIVING IN THE NORTH.

PRICE OF FOOD, FUEL, AND CLOTHING.

SOME INCREASES ON BRITISH FIGURES.

The Ministry of Labour for Northern Ireland issued yesterday the final report of the Departmental Committee (appointed September, 1922) on the cost of living

Reviewing the working-class budget as a whole (says the report), the position of Ulster in relation to Great Britain may be summarised as follows:—

Comparisons of prices reveal no marked difference in the cost of food. From the limited *data* available it appears, however, that Ulster is at a disadvantage in the matter of prices of fuel and, in certain districts, of light. We believe that although no marked disadvantage exists in the case of clothing and miscellaneous articles, there is probably on balance a slight excess of cost here. In the matter of rents and rates, whilst the precise present position is obscure, it seems to be admitted that prior to the war Ulster had the advantage, and we have no evidence which suggests that the relative situation in the two areas has been reversed.

We stated in our interim report that "there is at present no large difference in the cost of food between Northern Ireland and Great Britain." This conclusion was confirmed by the additional inquiry of 1st March, 1923. Difficulties arising from uncertainty as to equivalence of quality in the articles whose prices are recorded make it, in the opinion of the Committee, impossible to reach a more precise general judgment. We are, however, inclined after balancing many minor points of evidence to the following additional conclusion—namely, that whereas families in Great Britain which can afford the best quality in all articles of diet would have to pay for their food as much as, or, even a little more than an Ulster family, families in Great Britain which choose a dietary, including lower-priced imported foods, can feed themselves more cheaply than is possible for families in Ulster who are similarly unable to afford best quality foodstuffs.

The last six months of 1920 coincided with the peak of retail prices, and there is little doubt that food prices reached a much higher level in Ulster than in Great Britain, but the decline of prices from the peak point has also been greater in Ulster, and at the present time the difference in increase of price over July, 1914, would be eliminated by a decrease of approximately 2 per cent. in the cost of food in Ulster.

COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

The summary of recommendations made by the Committee is as follows:—

(1) That the Government of Northern Ireland should in the near future have a census taken, and in that connection obtain further information as to housing accommodation, such as was obtained in the 1921 Census in Great Britain.

(2) That the Government of Northern Ireland take steps to ascertain and publish at regular intervals, say, once a quarter, the charges made for coal of standard quality in Belfast and in other towns in Ulster and in selected towns in Great Britain.

(3) That an official investigation with the requisite *personnel* into the high price of gas in certain towns in Ulster should be made, with a view to discovering causes which could be removed by improvements of plant or methods of production.

(4) That the railway and steamship authorities should endeavour to effect reductions in fares and freight charges at an early date.

(5) That the Government of Northern Ireland should press the petrol companies for a reduction of the difference in the price of petrol as between Ulster and Great Britain.

A case of small pox is reported at Murton, a village near York.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS.

Dr. Pooler, who is resigning the incumbency of Downpatrick, owing to ill-health.—(Photo. by Lafayette.)

Princess Olga of Greece, whose marriage to the Crown Prince of Serbia will take place next week.—(Photo. by Lafayette.)

The Rev. Albert E. Hughes, who has been appointed Rector of Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin. — (Photo. by *Irish Times*.)

CLONMEL DOG SHOW.

The first general dog show ever held in Clonmel took place yesterday, and proved a most gratifying success. The fixture was organised by the newly formed Clonmel Kennel Club and the Clonmel Horse Show Society, and was held in the spacious, well equipped Horse Show field. The project had good backing, from the first locally, and from outsiders, and it is quite evident it has come to stay. The prize list was well endowed with cups, medals, and money, and as a consequence there was a good entry, totalling nearly 200 dogs. Kerry Blues being most numerous. Class was well represented throughout, and the show proved a most excellent canine exhibition.

Included in the programme were several classes for garden and field produce, and the exhibits were of a high grade, especially apples and roots. There were also two jumping contests, an open championship and a novices' championship, over the show course, and both filled well, and were productive of keen competition.

The judges were:—Blue Terriers—Mr. P. J. Corbill, Dublin. Other breeds—Mr. J. W. Heaslip, Dublin. Horticulture Section—Mr. P. O'Keeffe, Dungarvan. Fruit, etc.—Mr. P. Hanrahan. Jumping—Mr. A. Hunt, Kilmacthomas, and Mr. H. Moore, Clonmel.

The weather, though threatening, was fine, and there was a good attendance. The awards were as follow:—

AIREDALE TERRIERS.

Class 1.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 5 entries—1st prize, Mr. M. McCartie—Dan McCarom; 2nd, Miss K. Disney—Jabberwock; 3rd, Mr. J. Mahoney—Lady Nino; highly commended, Miss M. K. Waugh—Capt. Pat Desmond.

BULLDOGS.

Class 2.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 6 entries—1st prize, Mr. J. Hanna—Cumshinganun; 2nd, Mr. David Condon—Gowehy Patricia; 3rd, Miss Sylvia Blanche Pressley—Lochinvar; 4th, Mr. Pressley—Tut Tut.

COCKER SPANIELS.

Class 3.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 4 entries—1st prize, Mr. Marshall; 2nd, Miss D. Phelan—Tricks; 3rd, Miss M. O'Meara—Joan; 4th, Mr. J. Power—Jessie.

Class 4.—Local, Dog or Bitch. 10 entries—1st prize, Mr. Marshall; 2nd, Mr. M. Tobin—Dream Lady; 3rd, Miss D. Phelan—Tricks; 4th, Mr. A. O'Shea—Jim.

COLLIES.

Class 5.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 12 entries—1st prize, Mr. John A. Griffin—Prince Carlow; 2nd, Mr. J. J. Treacy—Drumcormick Major; 3rd, Mr. P. Scott—Toreador; highly commended, Mrs. T. Murphy—Shep of the Lodge.

FOX TERRIERS (SMOOTH).

Class 6.—Open, Dog. 12 entries—1st prize, Mrs. J. W. Buggy—Wait-a-Bit; 2nd, Mrs. de Sales la Terriere—Clogrennan Lad; 3rd, same—Tara Tanter; commended, Mr. Thomas Ryan—Kylo; highly commended, Mrs. de Sales la Terriere—Kiltinane Deddy.

Class 7.—Open, Bitch. 9 entries—1st prize, Miss Nora Leahy, Dundrum, Co. Dublin—Carmen; 2nd, Mrs. de Sales la Terriere—Tutti Frutti; 3rd, same—Lili of Mountain View; highly commended, same—Simplicity.

Class 8.—Maiden, Dog or Bitch. 17 entries—1st prize, Miss Nora Leahy, Dundrum, Co. Dublin—Carmen; 2nd, Mrs. de Sales la Terriere—Lilies of Mountain View; 3rd, same—Kiltinane Deddy; highly commended, Mr. T. Ryan—Kylo.

Class 9.—Puppy, Dog or Bitch. 8 entries—1st prize, Mrs. J. W. Buggy—Wait-a-Bit; 2nd, Mrs. de Sales la Terriere—Tara Tanter; 3rd, same—Lilly of Mountain View; highly commended, same—Kiltinane Lanak.

FOX TERRIERS (WIRE).

Class 10.—Open, Dog. 6 entries—1st prize, Mr. J. O'Brien—Finbarr Playboy; 2nd, Mr. S. R. J. Cussen—Wilton Charger; 3rd, Mr. J. O'Brien—Littleworth Drummer; highly commended, Mr. H. Burke—Ilton Barney.

Class 12.—Maiden, Dog or Bitch. 7 entries—1st prize, Mr. S. R. J. Cussen—Wilton Charger; 2nd, Mr. H. Burke—Ilton Barney; 3rd, Mr. C. Burke—Spotted Wonder; highly commended, Mr. T. Condon—Nobo II.

Class 13.—Puppy, Dog or Bitch. 7 entries—1st prize, Mr. S. R. J. Cussen—Wilton Charger; 2nd, Mr. H. Burke—Ilton Barney; 3rd, Mr. C. Burke—Spotted Wonder; highly commended, Mr. T. Condon—Nobo II.

IRISH TERRIERS (RED).

Class 14.—Open, Dog. 4 entries—1st prize, Mr. R. McMullen Bolster—Mallow Rake; 2nd, Mr. C. Byrne, Dublin—Howard Barney; 3rd, Mr. Gilman—Phoenix Paddy.

Class 15.—Open, Bitch. 3 entries—1st prize, Mr. D. Fitzpatrick, Dublin—Ch. Slieve Bloom; 2nd, Mr. R. McMullen Bolster—Cora; highly commended, Mr. F. Woods—Nettle.

Class 16.—Maiden Dog or Bitch. 5 entries—Mr. R. McMullen Bolster—Cora; 2nd, Mr. J. Hutchinson, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin—Edmondstown Lass; 3rd, Mrs. C. H. Thomson—Belle; highly commended, Charles Dillon—Tom Moore.

Class 17.—Puppy Dog or Bitch. 2 entries—1st prize, Mr. Christopher Byrne, Ringsend, Dublin—Howard Barney; 2nd, Mr. J. Hutchinson, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin—Edmondstown Lass.

Class 18.—Open, Dog. 18 entries—1st prize, Mr. M. Griffin—Freedom Joe; 2nd, Lord Kenmare—Kenmare Rock; very highly commended, Mr. M. O'Byrne—Poulaphouca; highly commended, Mr. M. Veale—Causeway Rover.

Class 19.—Open, Bitch. 15 entries—1st prize, Miss Thomas—Castletown Rose; 2nd, Mr. M. Sammon, Dublin—Mountain Belle; 3rd, Lord Kenmare—Kenmare Molly.

Class 20.—Graduate, Dog or Bitch. 28 entries—1st prize, Miss Thomas—Castletown Rose; 2nd, Mr. M. Griffin—Freedom Joe; 3rd, Mr. M. O'Byrne—Poulaphouca; highly commended, Mr. M. Sammon, Dublin—Mountain Belle; commended, Mr. J. J. O'Herlihy—Blackwater Beauty.

Class 21.—Novice Dog. 19 entries—1st prize, Mr. Michael Griffin — Freedom Joe; 2nd, Mr. M. O'Byrne—Poulaphouca; 3rd, Mr. P. J. Bradley—Liam Mor; very highly commended, Mr. Thomas Roche—Marifield Boy; highly commended, Mr. M. Veale—Causeway Rover; commended, Mr. C. Byrne—Bard Thomond.

Class 23.—Maiden Dog. 23 entries—1st prize, Mr. E. O'Shea—Opulence; 2nd, Mr. T. Roche—Marifield Boy; 3rd, Mr. M. Veale—Causeway Rover; reserved, Mr. D. F. Madden—Boxer; highly commended, Mr. P. Cox—Trim.

Class 24.—Maiden, Bitch. 15 entries—1st prize, Mr. J. J. O'Herlihy—Blackwater Beauty; 2nd, Mr. J. O'Regan—Roman Maggie; 3rd, Mr. J. O'Regan—Roman Annie.

Class 25.—Puppy, Dog. 10 entries—1st prize, Mr. A. Scully—Leeson Cathal; 2nd, Mr. M. Beary—Castletown Paul; 3rd, Mr. J. O'Regan—Roman Seamus; 4th, Mr. E. Foley—Night Owl; 5th, Miss Thomas—Castletown Paul.

Class 26.—Puppy, bitch. 7 entries—1st prize, Mr. J. W. Browne—Bunette; 2nd, Mr. E. J. Nugent—Slievenamon Princess; 3rd, Mr. R. M. Courtney—Sheelagh.

Class 27.—Open, Dog. 7 entries—1st prize, Mr. G. C. Bennett—Cathal; 2nd, Mr. John Reidy—The Kerry Boy; 3rd, Mr. Wm. O'Meara—Kollo.

IRISH SETTERS.

Class 28.—Open, Bitch. 7 entries—1st prize, Mr. G. C. Bennett — Grania; 2nd, Mr. G. K. Marshall—Irish Venus; 3rd, Mr. W. Millar—Peggy the Truce.

Class 29.—Local, Dog or Bitch. 10 entries—1st prize, Mr. G. K. Marshall—Irish Venus; 2nd, Mr. J. Kahe—Amy; 3rd, Mr. D. J. Hayes—Riversdale.

POMERANIANS.

Class 33.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 2 entries—1st prize, Mrs. Hugo Fitzpatrick—Bruin; 2nd, Mrs. Butler—Teddy of the Brook.

PUGS.

Class 34.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 2 entries—1st prize, Miss Smyth—Don Josie.

PEKINESE.

Class 35.—Open, Dog or Bitch. 3 entries—1st prize, Mrs. E. C. O'Callaghan—Paddie Tu; 2nd, Mrs. E. C. O'Callaghan—Yum-Yum.

RETRIEVERS.

Class 36.—Open, Dog. 1 entry—1st prize, Col. R. B. Charteris—Bosco.

Class 37.—Open, Bitch. 1 entry—1st prize, Mrs. K. Clarkin—Lady Mona.

SEALYHAMS.

Class 40.—Open, Dog. 3 entries—1st prize, Mrs. Constance Godfree—Full House.

Class 41.—Open, Bitch. 2 entries—1st and special prizes, Mrs. Constance Godfree—Carnew Buzz.

Class 42.—Maiden, Dog or Bitch. 4 entries—1st prize, Mr. G. K. Marshall—Lily; 2nd, Mrs. Constance Godfree—Carnew Belle.

JUMPING.

Open Championship—1st prize, Lady H. M'Calmont's Bud Fisher; 2nd, Mr. T. O'Connell's Cronghane; 3rd, Mr. E. Stack's Damaged Badly.

Novices' Championship—1st prize, Mr. W. Tobin's Matt; 2nd, Mr. D. Marshall's Milestone; 3rd, Mrs. Bowen's Castle Pearl.

For Full and Special Reports of Belfast and Clonmel Dog Shows, see to-morrow's issue of the "Irish Field," the official organ of the Irish Kennel Club.—(Advt.)

IRISH CATTLE TRADE.

REPLY TO CORPORATION COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Irish cattle trade was held last evening at the City Arms Hotel, Dublin, in connection with the situation at the Port of Dublin, and there was a very large attendance, representative of the trade and other allied interests. Amongst those present were:—Mr. John P. Cuffe, Chairman Irish Cattle Traders' and Stockowners' Association, presiding; Senator Counihan, Messrs. Patrick McKenna, T.D.; Charles Kettle, Chairman County Dublin Farmers' Association; T. P. Donoghue, secretary, ditto; John Waldron, George Lennon, Patrick Beattie, Joseph O'Connor, James O'Connor, Thomas Dolan, Thomas Austin, John Rooney, Matthew Bruton, James Joyce, James McCann, James Knowles, James Dreaper, J. P. Bransfield, and John P. MacAvin, secretary.

A resolution was read from the Markets Committee of the Dublin Corporation deprecating any action or interference on the part of the cattle trade of a nature calculated to embitter feeling and increase the difficulty of an amicable settlement of the present unfortunate dispute at the port.

CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT.

The Chairman said that he had heard that resolution read with feelings of genuine surprise and amazement, coming from a body of men administering a section of the municipal activities—the Dublin Cattle Market—justly reputed as one of the finest cattle markets in the world and depending, as it does, upon the Irish live stock industry of Ireland for its revenue, which so appreciably lightened the load of the already overburdened ratepayer. When in response to the growing volume of protest at the inactivity of the trade in face of its threatened extinction owing to the stoppage at the Port of Dublin, a meeting was held here last week to devise some ways and means by which the deadlock could be got over, certain tentative decisions were come to, which would only be put into operation if no solution were arrived at between the parties to the strike in response to the Government proposals, it could scarcely be said that the live stock trade were precipitating any action likely to create bitter feeling, but rather taking measures of self-protection in the result of certain eventualities.

AN INOPPORTUNE INTERVENTION.

For a body of men like the Markets Committee, who had made no effort towards a peaceful settlement of the dispute, to butt in at the present time with such a resolution was singularly inappropriate and inopportune, and indicated a total lack of appreciation and sympathy with the serious straits of a trade upon which they depended for their revenue. They had only to look at the events of the past three months, with the whole trade of the port diverted to Belfast and the North, to realise the cost to the cattle trade. Was it to be wondered at that the Belfast Harbour Board can now afford to reduce their port dues by 10 per cent.? To stand by idly, inactive, and helpless may be a policy suitable to a municipal undertaking, but certainly not one for those depending for their very existence upon their own exertions and self-help.

THE COMMITTEE'S SOLICITUDE.

The solicitude of the Markets Committee that the feelings of the parties in the present dispute should not be embittered does them credit, but be must point out that their Emergency Committee were similarly affected, and it was only within the past 24 hours that a glimmer of hope emerging from the present gloomy situation had caused them to suspend for the moment arrangements made at considerable expense, rather than jeopardise for one moment by any action of theirs the prospects of a peaceful settlement. He only hoped that such settlement would materialise and that counsels of moderation would prevail.

After a discussion, in which promises of support were forthcoming from all sections of the trade, it was decided, in the event of the President's offer not being accepted and the situation of the port remaining unchanged, that the Emergency Committee be empowered to make all arrangements for shipping facilities.

THE LADY ASTOR ACT.

COLLIER BOY PROSECUTED.

The first prosecution under the Lady Astor Act was heard at Mountain Ash Police Court yesterday, when a collier boy, four months under the age of eighteen, was summoned for purchasing for himself, on licensed premises, intoxicating liquor. The summons was in respect of half a pint of beer.

The defendant, who said that he had never heard of the Lady Astor Act, was dealt with as a first offender, on promising to keep from licensed premises till he is eighteen.

DELEGATES' EXPENSES.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD AND A CONFERENCE.

The Joint Committee of the Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Mr. M. Staines, Chairman, presiding, yesterday considered the circular letter from the Ministry of Local Government to the effect that the payment out of public funds of expenses of delegates to the annual conference in November would be illegal.

The Chief Clerk, Mr. J. J. Doyle, said he thought that if the delegates' expenses were not paid out of public funds the attendance of delegates would be so small that there would be no conference.

On the motion of Mr. McIntyre, seconded by Mr. Tynan, a resolution was passed recommending the postponement of the conference for three months, the Minister of Local Government to be requested in the meantime to take steps to give such conferences the statutory recognition which would legalise the payment of delegates' expenses out of public funds.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

RISE IN TIN.

TIN, after being firmer, closed with a quieter tone and below best points reached. On balance, prices are 20/- per ton dearer against final of Wednesday. Cash quoted £204 to £204 5/-, three months £201 17/6 to £202, settlement price £204 5/-. Sales 700 tons; cash sold £204 10/- to £204 5/-, Dec. dates £202 5/- to £203 10/-, and finally at £203, three months £201 10/- up to £202 10/-, and later at £201 10/-. Easterns cables recorded 575 tons done £203 c.i.f. terms. COPPER was a generally steady market on balance, but after opening dearer prices eased, and closed with little or no alteration against the close of the previous day. Cash quoted £61 to £61 2/6, three months £61 12/6 to £61 15/-, settlement price £61. Sales 1,000 tons; cash done £61, late Oct. £61 2/6, late Dec. £61 10/-, and three months £62 to £61 13/9, and finally £61 15/-. Electros £64 5/- to £65 5/-. LEAD—Market easier; sales 250 tons, Dec. sold £26 12/6, Jan. £26 7/6 to £26 5/-. SPELTER firmer; sales 200 tons, Dec. done £33, Jan. £32 15/- per ton.

LONDON FREIGHTS—Thursday.

Homeward rates remain steady in the principal sections, with business on a larger scale. River Plate charterers show more interest at about 17/- for handy size steamers prompt, and 24/- new season's loading up river to U.K.-Continent. Nitrate continues in steady demand at 28/6 to U.K.-Continent, and 5 dollars to the United States. North American firm for grain. Montreal to U.K. quoted 3/6 per quarter, ditto to West Italy 20 cents, while similar cargoes from American Northern range to West Italy quoted 18 cents per 100lbs. Virginia coal maintains fair interest at steady rates to Europe and South America. North Pacific firm for grain, with 36/3 obtainable for December and 37/6 January to U.K.-Continent. Eastern markets quieter and tonnage more freely offered. Bombay on dead weight paid 24/6, Mauritius sugar 27/6 for November loading, while Australian wheat remains at 27/6 from Western and 40/- Southern ports to U.K.-Continent. Coal from South Africa quotes 12/6 to Near East. Black Sea grain quietly steady at 14/- Continent and 14/6 U.K., with 6d. stevedoring, but Danube lacks support and rates nominal. Outward coal markets remain steady with a fair number of orders circulating. Fixtures—Steamer, 5,600 tons, Wales to Colombo, October, 14/-, coal; steamer, 5,500 tons, Wales to River Plate up to Rosario, 5th-20th November, 14/-, if Rosario 14/6, coal; Hermes, 25,000 quarters, 10 p.c., Montreal to Mediterranean, 10th-25th November, 4/3 per quarter, option Adriatic 3d. per quarter extra, heavy grain; General Milne, 40,000 quarters, Montreal to West Italy, November, 20 cents per 100lbs., heavy grain; Aris Mendi, 36,000 quarters, 10 p.c., Montreal to West Italy, 1st-15th November, 4/3 per quarter, heavy grain; Laristan, 30,000 quarters, 10 p.c., Montreal to Antwerp, 1st-15th November, 3/3 per quarter, heavy grain; Benalder, 7,500 tons, 10 p.c., Charleston to two ports West Italy, prompt, 3¼ dols., coal; Java, 8,800 tons, 10 p.c., Black Sea to Antwerp-Hamburg, 10th November, cancelling, 14/-, option U.K.-Bordeaux-Havre, 14/6, heavy grain, 1/- stevedoring; Svorno, 5,200 tons, Black Sea to Antwerp-Hamburg November, 14/-, option U.K.-Bordeaux-Havre 14/6, heavy grain, 6d. stevedoring, fixed recently; steamer, 2,300 tons, Bessham or Sunderland to Riga, end October, 7/3, coal; Anchorton, 5,600 tons, Danube to Havre-Hamburg, 1st-15th November, 17/- berth terms, heavy grain; steamer, 8,500 tons, Mauritius to U.K., November, 27/6, sugar; Laguna, Bombay-Karachi to U.K.-Continent, 24/6, on dead weight; Gilernum, 4,400 tons, 10 p.c., San Lorenzo to U.K.-Continent, February, 24/-, heavy grain; Parthenon, 4,800 tons, 10 p.c., San Lorenzo to U.K.-Continent, February, 24th, heavy grain; Silen, 7,800 tons maximum, Rosario to New York, February-March, 5¼ dols., linseed.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales held at Melbourne on Wednesday, 4,100 bales were offered. There was keen general competition, and prices generally were not quotably changed.

At the wool sales at Melbourne yesterday 3,426 bales were offered. A good clearance was effected. The market is very firm at recent rates.

LINKS OF EMPIRE.

BETTER COMMUNICATIONS NEEDED.

DOMINION PREMIERS' VIEWS.

The Imperial Conference sat for three hours yesterday afternoon at the Admiralty in consultation with experts on technical questions affecting naval defence, while other Dominion representatives were at Cabinet offices discussing details of communications. The Imperial Conference meets again to-morrow morning, and, it is expected, will continue the debate on the general question of Empire defence, with special reference to military and air forces. In the afternoon the Economic Conference will again consider communications and commercial matters.

The text of the speeches made by the Dominion Prime Ministers and others at Tuesday's sitting of the Imperial Economic Conference on the subject of Imperial communications was issued last night.

Mr. S. M. Bruce, Prime Minister of Australia, said that Australia attached the greatest importance to improved methods of communication, and it was for them to see that they were keeping closely in touch with the other Dominions and Great Britain. In regard to mails, they were not now as well served as in pre-war days.

It now took twenty-nine days, and it used to take twenty-eight days, for the mails to reach Australia. There was one solution which should help—namely, the airship mail service to Egypt. Australia was very anxious to see that brought about, and the shortening of the time taken for mails to travel from Australia to Britain.

They took the view that the establishment of an all-British cable service was an admirable thing that they should all support. If wireless was not going to meet their circumstances to the extent they anticipated they would be in favour of the cables which the Pacific Cable Board proposed to build in amplification of their present system.

Mr. F. W. Massey, Prime Minister of New Zealand, said that it was far too long nowadays to occupy thirty or forty days in carrying mails between New Zealand and England, and they ought to do a great deal better than that. What was wanted was speeding up. So far as they were concerned they were quite ready to do their share at the other end if the British Post Office authorities would help at this end. The difference of one halfpenny in letter postage between New Zealand and Great Britain was an anomaly that ought to be put right. He had been hoping for a long time past to see a reduction in the cable rates. He was looking forward with a great deal of optimism to the development of wireless.

Mr. Massey Greene has been elected to fill the vacancy in the Australian Senate caused by the death of Senator Millen.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

British Trawler Seized.—The trawler, Kannick, of Hull, has been brought into Vardoe with a full cargo. It is alleged that she was fishing within Norwegian territorial waters, off Sylteflord.

Schoolboy Killed. — A fire engine and a motor omnibus came into collision at Fulham, London, yesterday afternoon, the omnibus mounting a pavement, where several school children were standing. A ten-year-old boy was killed and four other children were seriously injured.

Collision in Thames.—In the Thames on Wednesday night, off Erith, as the steamer Lapwing was proceeding down stream, it collided with, and sank, a sailing barge, believed to be the Strathmore, of Rochester. No trace of the barge or of the crew has been found, beyond a small boat, bearing the name "Strathmore."

Russian Rye for Norway.—According to a Reuter's Christiania telegram an agreement has been reached between the Russian Commercial Delegation and the Norwegian Directorate of Supplies, by which Norway is to buy 20,000 tons of Russian rye at a cost of 4,250,000 kroner. Norway has already purchased 25,000 tons of rye.

Charge Against Book-keeper.—At West London, yesterday George W. Baynes, 57, a book-keeper, was committed for trial on the charge of demanding money by threats from Sir Charles Walpole. The evidence showed that Sir Charles received a letter demanding money, under the threat that Baynes could disclose something which would put Sir Charles in the dock.

Seven Years for Murderous Assault.—At the Old Bailey, London, yesterday George Ellis, 21, a labourer, was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude for a murderous attack on Mrs. Mary Spurgeon and her daughter. It was stated that the prisoner became attached to the girl, who rejected him, and that he then, in a fit of jealousy over another man, broke into the women's home, where the attack was committed.

British Harvesters in Canada. — A Reuter's Ottawa message states that nearly 15,000 applications for men for farm, bush, mining, and railway construction work are now filed with the Immigration Department in connection with the survey which is being made to secure openings and winter employment for the British harvesters. Every harvester has been offered work to tide him over the winter.

Women in Conference. — The National Council of Women, at Edinburgh yesterday, called for further recognition of the joint responsibility of parents of illegitimate children, and the need for reciprocal legislation throughout the British Empire in regard to the enforcement of affiliation orders. The Duchess of Atholl, dealing with the child and the stage in Scotland, said that laws were needed which would make Scotland no longer the happy hunting ground for the less reputable touring companies.

As reported in the *Irish Times* yesterday, Mr. Kenneth Douglas, the young English actor, died in a sanatorium in New York after a short illness. He went to America originally with Mr. Cyril Maude, and played in various theatres.

CLONES MATCH-MAKING.

BRIDE SUPPLIED FOR FEE OF £10.

At Clones Quarter Sessions Court on Wednesday Hugh Nicholl, contractor, Clones, sued James Slowey, farmer, Carney's Island, for the recovery of 30s., motor car hire, alleged to have been paid on his behalf.

The plaintiff said that the defendant engaged him to get him a wife, for which he was to pay him a sum of £10. He got Slowey the wife. The bridegroom engaged two motor cars and a day or two later said to the plaintiff that the wedding party was going to be larger than he thought, and a third car would be needed. The third car was engaged, the owner of which requested payment at the conclusion of the wedding. As the bridegroom had no cash at hand, the witness paid. Subsequently the bridegroom refused to recoup the plaintiff.

The Judge—You seem to be an expert at matchmaking here in Clones, Mr. Nicholl. Have you been successful in many cases?

The Witness—I have, your Honour. I have got a wife for every man that has come to me.

What remuneration do you get—are you just paid a percentage on the bride's fortune or have you a fixed fee?

The Witness—I am not paid very well, your Honour. Sometimes I get nothing.

James Slowey, the bridegroom, said that all that the plaintiff had said was untrue. He never gave him any instructions to procure the third car

Mr. Magrath, for the plaintiff—You get my client to get you a wife, when you could not get one yourself, and you want to allow him nothing for his trouble?

Mr. McDonald, for the defendant—It is usual for the best man to pay the expenses.

The case was dismissed on the merits.

NORTHERN EDUCATION.

SECONDARY TEACHERS AND SALARY SCALES.

The Northern Ireland branch of the Incorporated Association of Assistant Masters in Secondary Schools has adopted a resolution condemning the new salary scales proposed by the Northern Ministry of Education.

The resolution declares that to effect economies at the expense of teachers who have given long service to Irish education is not in accordance with the promises and pledges given at various times by numerous public men, and state that by their proposals the Ministry is transferring the benefits of the interim grant from those at present receiving it to people who have not yet entered the profession.

Lance-Corporal Albert Edward Dearnley, of the 1st Leicestershire Regiment, was again remanded, at Aldershot yesterday, on the charge of murdering Drummer Ellis, whose decomposed body was found in a thicket.

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FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Thursday.

There was a remarkable falling away on this, the third, afternoon of the Newmarket meeting, both in the attendance and the quality of the racing as compared with the excitement of yesterday. What should have been the most interesting race of the afternoon—the Challenge Stakes—was something of a fiasco. The numbers of four runners, Sicyon, Drake, Tremola and Black Gown were hoisted, and the betting was fast and furious, with Sicyon as a good favourite. Only four minutes before the set time the number of Sicyon was withdrawn, as he was found to be lame in the paddock. Then the panic-stricken bookmakers made haste to adjust their volumes, and Drake joined Tremola as favourite, with Black Gown the outsider of the party.

Tremola was wonderfully well behaved at the post, and jumped off with the others; but that was about the only time he was with them, for he promptly showed a complete disinclination for the task, and was beaten before they had gone a furlong. He finished a long way last. Drake made the running for half the journey, where Black Gown took it up, and went on to win in a canter. Thus the Ring, in spite of their shock over Sicyon, had the best of the argument after all.

It was the first appearance of Drake on a racecourse since his two-year-old days. He looked well, but very much on the big side, and he was tiring rapidly after they had gone four furlongs.

The defeat of the Oaks winner, Brownhylda, by Puttenden in the Lowther Stakes was another of the day's disappointments. Hulme adopted forcing tactics on her, although when V. Smyth has ridden her he has always waited with her. Hulme's tactics were to the advantage of Puttenden, who must have the running made for him. When Childs took Puttenden to the front at the bushes he forged ahead, and had Brownhylda cold a long way from home. The grey son of The Tetrarch won comfortably by a length and a half. The only other runner, Apron, finished four lengths behind Brownhylda.

SALMON TROUT'S SUCCESS.

The Prendergast Stakes introduced us to a smart newcomer in the Aga Khan's Salmon Trout, who was bred by Lord Furness out of the mare, Salamandra, for whom he gave 15,000 guineas a few years ago, when she came up with a draft of Mr. Neumann's. He won here cleverly from Windward, another newcomer, a good-looking White Eagle colt owned by Mr. T. J. Burrowes, and ridden by Harry Beasley. Lord Astor's St. Germans, a half-brother to Buchan, was third. Salmon Trout is a very nice colt, the only hole that one can pick in him being the fact that he is rather straight in front.

The bottom weight, Stanhope, who had been seen in plating company earlier in the season, won a fine race in the valuable Suffolk Nursery by a head from Perhaps So, with Caravel, on the far side of the course, beaten a neck for second place. Perhaps So was the unlucky horse of the race, for he was left fully three or four lengths at the post. Caravel did by far the best of the top weights, for such as Gurzil, Appleby, and the Mirobelle filly were done with early on in the race.

In the Heath Handicap Dumas gave another convincing performance by winning easily from Azimuth and Westmead. This colt's chance in the Cambridgeshire is a most striking one, for he still has only 6st. 2lb. to carry there. It was his fourth victory off the reel, counting his share in the triple dead-heat at Windsor, and in the race previous to the four he was an unlucky loser through being left several lengths at the post. Richards will ride him in the Cambridgeshire at three or four pounds over-weight, and this boy is now thoroughly acquainted with him. He certainly will make Epinard gallop at nearly 3st. difference in their weights.

TO-DAY'S CARD.

Outside the Middle Park Plate there is not much interesting in to-morrow's programme for the wind-up of the meeting. We shall again see Woodend and Diophon in opposition. Woodend on a first appearance at the last meeting here won by a head when receiving a stone. As I wrote at the time, he was a very comfortable winner, though the margin was so small. To-morrow the distance is six furlongs, which will be against Diophon, but he has only to give 3lb. instead of a stone. Parmenio should run well, but I expect to see it won by WOODEND, of whom I formed the impression at the last meeting here that he is the best two-year-old colt we have seen this season. The Royal Stakes should be won by DORIC, while CROSSJACK, on his running with Up Garryowen, looks very reasonably handicapped in the Exning Handicap, and should have a good chance.

IRISH BELFRY has gone to Pontefract, and should go close for the West Riding Autumn Handicap. LEMSTAR may win the Leeds Handicap from Plas Newydd.

GALTEE MORE.

BETTING FORECAST.

NEWMARKET.

1.0 Race.—2 to 1 agst. Bessema, 7 to 2 Carbonaro, 11 to 2 Jehoshaphat, 8 to 1 Young Pole, 10 to 1 Waterbuck, 100 to 8 each Rocken and Safety First, 20 to 1 any other.

1.30 Race.—5 to 2 agst. Sternlight, 7 to 2 Molette, 5 to 1 Slovene colt, 8 to 1 each Grand Excel and Ulster Queen filly, 10 to 1 Peg o' My Heart filly, 100 to 6 Crusader's Pet, 20 to 1 any other.

2.0 Race.—7 to 4 agst. Diophon, 2 to 1 Woodend, 7 to 1 Hurstwood, 100 to 6 Plack.

2.30 Race.—7 to 4 agst. Polycarey, 3 to 1 Brest, 5 to 1 Sunny Bill, 8 to 1 The Bailiff, 10 to 1 each Lasker and Warrain, 100 to 6 any other.

3.0 Race.—3 to 1 agst. Crossjack, 4 to 1 Linby, 6 to 1 Canary Seed, 7 to 1 Polydipsia, 8 to 1 Francis Joseph, 10 to 1 Golden Hero, 100 to 6 Red Crest, 20 to 1 any other.

3.30 Race.—7 to 4 agst. Bold and Bad, 2 to 1 Doric.

"FORM" HORSES.

NEWMARKET.

1. 0—Carbonaro.	2.30—Polycarey.
1.30—Sternlight.	3. 0—Crossjack.
2. 0—Diophon.	3.30—Doric.

DOUBLE—Diophon (nap) and Beckycilla.

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Express:—Double — Francis Joseph and Lemstar. Safety bet—Francis Joseph.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Crossjack. Double—Woodend and Crossjack.

Daily Mirror:—Double — Disarmed (nap) and Doric.

Daily News:—Double—Diophon and Crossjack.

Daily Graphic:—Double — Diophon and Warrain.

Daily Chronicle:—Double — Steamer and Crossjack.

PHŒNIX PARK MEETING—TO-MORROW

ORDER OF RUNNING

Moderate Plate	1 30	Maiden Plate		3 30
Nursery Plate	2 0	Weight for Age		
Country Plate	2 30	Plate		4 0
Second Class Plate	3 0			

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NEWMARKET RESULTS.

1.30—BRETBY STAKES, Post Stakes of £100 each (two-year-old fillies) (Bretby Stakes Co.). 6 f.
His Majesty's ch. f. CARMEL, by Friar Marcus—La Marquise, 9-0 ....H. Wragg 1
Mr. W. Clark's ITURBA, 9-0 ....B. Carslake 2
Lord Jersey's DANDELION, 9-0 ....F. Lane 3
Also ran—Telephone Girl filly (F. Bullock), Moyria (J. Childs), Blue Ice (T. Weston). (Winner trained by R. Marsh.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Dandelion, 7 to 2 Iturba, 6 to 1 each CARMEL and Moyria, 7 to 1 Blue Ice, 10 to 1 Telephone Girl filly.
Won by three-quarters of a length; half a length.

2.0—WITCHFORD (S.) PLATE of £200 (Rous Co.). 5 f.
Sir W. Cooke's WATER BABY C., by Bay d'Or, 2, 6-9 ....R. James 1
Captain Bewicke's MONOSSA C., 2, 7-2 Howard 2
Mr. D. Waugh's LI-KWANG, 2, 7-2 ....Murch 3
Also ran—Black Fairy (G. Smith), Gazania (J. Childs), Foquette (Orme), Joan Walop (Haynes). (Winner trained by Platt.)
Betting—13 to 8 agst. WATER BABY C., 4 to 1 Gazania, 5 to 1 Foquette, 7 to 1 Black Fairy, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by a neck; a length.
The winner was sold to Mr. J. Haynes for 850 gns.

2.30—SUFFOLK NURSERY, a Plate of £800. (Rous Co.). 5 f.
Sir A. Johnston's ch. c. STANHOPE, by Feather Bed—Star Lily, 6-11 ....G. Richards 1
Lady Nunburnholme's PERHAPS SO, 7-13 C. Elliott 2
Mr. A. Cox's CARAVEL, 8-5 ....F. Bullock 3
Lady Sheffield's Gurzil, 9-0 ....V. Smyth 0
Mr. J. Hornung's Appleby, 8-10 ....Jelliss 0
Mr. A. Ash's Mirobelle filly, 8-6 ....J. Leach 0
Mr. Straker's Castor Bridge, 8-6....Archibald 0
Mrs. S. Whitburn's Hades, 8-2 ....R. Jones 0
Lord Glanely's Grand Knight, 8-1 ....Whalley 0
Mr. P. Gilpin's Hard Times, 7-11 ....H. Wragg 0
Lord Londonderry's Restoration, 7-8 ....F. Fox 0
Mrs. Burrowes's Lacemaker, 7-7 ....Pryor 0
Mr J. de Rothschild's Philippi, 7-6 ..R. Grace 0
Mr. J. Corrigan's San-Utar, 7-5 ....Weston 0
Sir A. Bailey's Karoo, 7-5 ....C. Timmins 0
Major Loder's Dress Rehearsal, 7-0 ..Robertson 0
Mr. S. Joel's Polin, 6-13 ....Smirke 0
Sir G. Bullough's Indiscretion, 6-12 ....Gibson 0
Sir E. Edgar's Plucky Jenny, 6-12 ....A. Burns 0
(Winner trained by Wilmot.)
Betting—5 to 1 agst. Perhaps So, 6 to 1 Caravel, 7 to 1 STANHOPE, 8 to 1 each Restoration, Polin, and Philippi, 10 to 1 Appleby, 100 to 8 Gurzil, 20 to 1 any other.
Becalmed was weighed out for by Ingham, but bolted on the way to the post, threw her rider, and never came under the starter's orders. Karoo whipped round and was left, and Perhaps So started slowly. Indiscretion made play from Caravel, Gurzil, Plucky Jenny, and Lacemaker. Caravel was in front at the bushes, where Stanhope and Perhaps So became second and third, and, getting the best of a great race home, Stanhope won by a head; a neck separated second and third. Dress Rehearsal was fourth, Polin fifth, Lacemaker sixth, Plucky Jenny seventh, Hades eighth, Indiscretion ninth, and Castor Bridge last.

3.0—LOWTHER STAKES of £20 each, with £300 added. Last 1¼ m. of Ces. Co.
Mr. Cazalet's gr. c. PUTTENDEN, by The Tetrarch—Ayrslave, 4, 9-12 ....J. Childs 1
Vicomte de Fontarce's BROWNHYLDA, 3, 9-5 G. Hulme 2
Sir A. Bailey's APRON, 3, 9-0 ....F. Bullock 3
(Winner trained by Taylor.)
Betting—Evens Brownhylda, 6 to 4 agst. PUTTENDEN, 7 to 1 Apron.
Five minutes after time the flag fell to a level start. Brownhylda set the pace to Apron for about six furlongs, when Puttenden drew into second place, and, heading the favourite half a mile from home, Puttenden won by a length and a half; four lengths separated second and third.

3.30—PRENDERGAST STAKES of £25 each, with £400 added. For two-year-olds. 5 f. (Rous Course.)
H.H. Aga Khan's b. c. SALMON TROUT, by The Tetrarch—Salamandra, 8-7 ....G. Hulme 1
Mrs. Burrowes' WINDWARD, 8-7 ....H. Beasley 2
Lord Astor's ST. GERMANS, 8-7 ....F. Bullock 3
Also ran—Sirius (Jelliss), Santorb (Beary), Crewe (Elliott), Antinea (Wragg). (Winner trained by R. Dawson.)
Betting—6 to 4 on St. Germans, 7 to 2 agst. SALMON TROUT, 10 to 1 bar two.
Won by a neck; two lengths.

4.0—HEATH PLATE (handicap) of £300. 1 m. (R.M.)
Mr. G. Hardy's ch. c. DUMAS, by Marten—Judea, 3, 8-8 ....G. Richards 1
Sir J. Maxwell's AZIMUTH, 3, 7-13....G. Hulme 2
Mrs. Whitburn's WESTMEAD, 4, 8-7....R. Jones 3
Also ran—Grandcourt (Fox), Page Three (Jelliss), Holy Friar (Smirke), Solicitude (Elliott), Palomides (J. Childs), Port Royal (Archibald), Nymphida (Gardner), Alopec (Lister), Valparaiso (G. Walsh), Red Rock (Orme), Cadabra R. James), Maple Sugar (H. Leach) (Winner trained by Hogg.)
Betting—4 to 1 agst. DUMAS, 5 to 1 each Holy Friar and Solicitude, 8 to 1 each Azimuth, Nymphida, and Valparaiso, 10 to 1 each Palomides and Cadabra, 100 to 6 bar eight.
Won by four lengths; a neck.

4.30—CHALLENGE STAKES of £20 each, with £300 added. 6 f.
Capt. Davy's br. h. BLACK GOWN, by Earla Mor—Total Eclipse, 5, 8-12 ....E. Gardner 1
Mrs. Whitburn's DRAKE, 3, 8-7....J. Childs 2
Mr. Falcon's TREMOLA, 5, 9-3....G. Archibald 3
(Winner trained by Beatty.)
Betting—13 to 8 each Tremola and Drake, 2 to 1 BLACK GOWN.
Won by four lengths; same.
Sicyon was weighed out for by McLachlan, but slipped up in the paddock, and the Stewards gave permission for the withdrawal of the number.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The programme for the final stage at Newmarket is poor by comparison with the preceding days, the one bright spot being the Middle Park Stakes, for which there is likely to be an interesting field. I like best Woodend, Parmenio, and Diophon. The first-named, it will be remembered, beat Diophon a head when in receipt of 14lb. at the last meeting here, and so one would, in the ordinary course of events, expect Diophon now to beat him, since in to-day's race the difference is only 3lb. The head victory, however, was very cleverly gained, and could, in my opinion, have been increased by as far as his jockey liked. The race, too, should have brought him on a great deal, and I expect Woodend again to beat Diophon; in fact, I regard him a good thing for the race. In my opinion, the former is a colt of exceptional merit. Parmenio may be the danger. In the Exning Handicap I should not look beyond Linby were he to go to the post. He is, however, I understand, unlikely to do so, and so, in his absence, I fall back on Crossjack. Selections:—

Southfield Plate—**Young Pole.**
Two-Year-Old Selling—**Sternlight.**
Middle Park Stakes—**Woodend.**
Mile Selling Plate—**Young Man's Fancy.**
Exning Welter—**Crossjack.**
Royal Stakes—**Doric.**

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left; (s) signifies started slowly.]

1.0—SOUTHFIELD PLATE of £300. 1¼ m. of Ces. Co. Last
031 BESSEMA (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 4 10 1
323 REVIVAL (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 4 9 7
310 JEHOSHAPHAT (His Majesty) R. Marsh 4 9 0
321 CARBONARO (Ld. Howard de Walden) D. Waugh 3 8 12
430 YOUNG POLE (Lady Nunburnholme) Rochfort 5 8 11
212 SAFETY FIRST (Mr. J. White) ..Ward 3 8 5
020 GRETNA GREEN (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 3 7 12
030 GASPER (Mrs. Heybourn) ..R. Colling 4 7 12
040 ROCKEN (Mr. Raphael) ....Halsey 3 7 12
200 SUN LAD (Mr. John Bell) ....J. Bell 3 7 9
200 CLYMPING (Capt. Elsee) ....C. Leader 3 7 9
343 WATERBUCK (Mr. Hornung) B. Jarvis 3 7 9
(The above have arrived.)

1.30—TWO-YEAR-OLD (S.) PLATE of £200. Last 5 f. of Ab. M.
040 IRISH DAIL (Maj. Beatty) ....Beatty 8 7
00 BLANDUS (Mr. Burrowes) ....S. Darling 8 7
001 STERNLIGHT (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 8 7
004 PHALABA (Lady Nunburnholme) Rochfort 8 7
000 CRUSADER'S PET (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 8 4
000 VINEYARD (Mr. Beer) ....Leach, jun. 8 4
440 MISS GRITS F. (Mr. Curzon) ....Watts 8 4
00 OVER (Mr. S. Darling) ....S. Darling 8 4
034 GRAND EXCEL (Ld. Glanely) ....C. Marsh 8 4
04 FOGUETTE (Mr. Hornung) ....B. Jarvis 8 4
402 PRINCESS SONIA F. (Sir R. Jardine) R. W. Colling 8 4
0 POLYPHONY (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 8 4
000 BELL FLOWER F. (Lt.-Col. Johnson) C. Leader 8 4
00 CABARET GIRL (Mr. Myerscough) H. Leader 8 4
010 FLINTHAM (Mr. de Pledge) ....F. Leader 8 4
023 WHITE CORAL (Mr. de Pledge) F. Leader 8 4
300 CHIP (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ....Watson 8 4
000 LOVE LETTER II. (M. de St. Alary) Gilpin 8 4
3 PEG O' MY HEART F. (Mrs. Swan) Bewicke 8 4
The above have arrived.
MESOLITE (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 8 7
030 LADY ZERO (Mr. F. Benson) ....Wilmot 8 4
0 ULSTER QUEEN F. (Sir W. Cooke) Platt 8 4
100 MIDNIGHT C. (Sir W. Cooke) ....Platt 8 4
00 KILLINCHY F. (Mr. Davidson) ....Cottrill 8 4
300 FRONT ROW (Lady Wavertree) ....Cottrill 8 4
030 MOLETTE (Mrs. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 8 4

2.0—MIDDLE PARK STAKES of £30 each, with £1,000 added (two-year-olds). 6 f. (Bretby Stakes Co.).
121 KNIGHT OF THE GARTER (His Majesty) ....R. Marsh 9 3
212 PARMENIO (Ld. Rosebery) ....J. Jarvis 9 3
224 TIPPLER (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ..Watson 9 3
031 ARCADE (Mr. O. de Rothschild) ..Watson 9 3
010 HALCYON (Ld. Derby) ....Lambton 9 0
010 CAPE HORN (Ld. Glanely) ....C. Marsh 9 0
1 WOODEND (Mr. B. Walker) ..F. Hartigan 9 0
1 SALMON TROUT (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 9 0
000 KAROO (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 10
WIST C. (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 10
033 BUCKS YEOMAN (Sir A. Bailey)..R. Day 8 10
BURSLEM (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 10
0 GOLDEN TRACE (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis 8 10
0 PLUTO (Mrs. Burnley) ....Dundas 8 10
200 SANUTAR (Mr. Corrigan) ....D. Waugh 8 10
0 ROYAL SEQUENCE (Mr. M. Field) Rochfort 8 10
33 SPALPEEN (Sir E. Hulton) ....D. Waugh 8 10
300 BATTLESHIP (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 8 10
000 WYRE FOREST (Mr. W. King) Leach, jun. 8 10
L'AIGLON (Ld. Lascelles) ....R. Marsh 8 10
4 ZODIAC (Maj. Loder) ....Gilpin 8 10
0 BENVENUTO CELLINI (Ld. Londonderry) ....Pickering 8 10
0 KING BEAVER (Maj. McCalmont) Persse 8 10
BOB FLINT (Mrs. Mayor) ....W. Halsey 8 10
ALDEBARAN (Sir H. Meux) ....Dundas 8 10
000 LEMBOLO (Mr. Moore) ....R. Day 8 10
SILVER HOW C. (Sir F. Mostyn) C. Leader 8 10
110 PLACK (Ld. Rosebery) ....J. Jarvis 8 10
03 BALDERSTON (Sir J. Rutherford) R. Day 8 10
0 HURSTWOOD (Mr. Tattersall) ....Taylor 8 10
323 ARAUSIO (Mrs. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 8 10
LADY EAGER C. (Mr. W. Williams) W. Waugh 8 10
0 THE PILOT (Ld. Rutland) ....Dundas 8 10
04 ST. GERMANS (Ld. Astor) ....Taylor 8 10
(The above have arrived.)

1 BRIGHT KNIGHT (Ld. Astor) ....Taylor 9 3
002 CARAVEL (Mr. Cox) ....Taylor 9 3
112 DIOPHON (H.H. Aga Khan)..R. Dawson 9 3
112 MUMTAZ MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 9 0
SPATCHCOCK (Maj. Loder) ....Ireland 9 0
340 HADES (Mr. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 9 0
C01 GRAND JOY (Ld. Glanely) ....C. Marsh 9 0
BLACK SHEEP (Ld. Astor) ....Taylor 8 10
OLD ROWLEY (Mr. Cazalet) ....Taylor 8 10
022 LIGHT CAVALRY (Mr. E. Clark) Peacock 8 10
PETTY BLEU C. (Sir W. Cooke) ....Platt 8 10
004 SQUANDER C. (Sir W. Cooke) ....Platt 8 10
030 LEONARDO (Mr. Cox) ....Taylor 8 10
SIR JOSHUA (Lady Douglas) ....Taylor 8 10
CHERKI (Mr. Macomber) ....France 8 10
TORCH BEARER II. (Mr. Macomber) France 8 10
GOLDEN CLOUD II. (Mr. Macomber) France 8 10
THUNDER CLOUD II. (Mr. Macomber) France 8 10
IZERNEY (Mr. Macomber) ....France 8 10
LE PIERRE DE TANVILLE (Mr. Macomber) ....France 8 10
MANOIR II. (Baron E. de Rothschild) In France 8 10
003 BOULT (Mr. J. de Rothschild) ....Pratt 8 10
300 LA PALOMA C. (Mr. Sullivan) ....Persse 8 10
MONDAMIN (Mr. Tattersall) ....Taylor 8 10
CYRUS (Mr. Wadia) ....Crawford 8 10
THE BORDERER (Mr. Wattel) ....Ferguson 8 10
100 BEESTON (Ld. Wavertree) ....Ferguson 8 10
OMALFI (Duke of Westminster) ....Persse 8 10
ORMADA (Mr. J. White) ....Ward 8 10
0 TRACKER (Mr. J. White) ....Ward 8 10
SWIFT CURRENT F. (Mr. Nagle) Hy. Powney 8 7
224 SLIPPERY JANE (Duke of Portland) Farquharson 8 7
MIXED MARRIAGE (Mr. J. White) Ward 8 7
02 CLEONE (Ld. Woolavington) ..F. Darling 8 7

2.30—MILE SELLING PLATE of £200. 1 m. (R.M.)
Age st. lb.
200 YOUNG MAN'S FANCY (Mr. Langlay) J. Cannon 3 8 4
010 WARRAIN (Mr. R. Davison) E. Piggott 4 8 0
000 WEED-KILLER (Mr. Gusder) C. Waugh 4 7 11
220 POLYCAREY (Capt. Bewicke) Bewicke 3 7 7
020 LASKER (Mr. Halsey) ....Halsey 3 7 7
040 ST. CORMAC (Lord Londonderry) Pickering 3 7 7
000 THE BAILIFF (Mr. Barling) Barling 3 7 4
324 SUNNY BILL (Mr. O. Howard) Butters 3 7 4
000 TAXING MASTER (Mr. A. Lowry) Hugh Powney 3 7 4
The above have arrived.
000 GRANELY (Mr. J. White) ....Ward 5 10 0
011 TRUE KNIGHT (Sir D. Broughton) Farquharson 4 8 11
300 DE COVERLEY (Mr. Eastman) Coldbeck 4 8 11
000 ROYAL BUCKS (Mr. Hignett) Hammond 4 8 4
000 STAR REGAL (Mr. A. Hammond) Wilkins 4 7 11
003 CHEAP TALK (Mr. Baum) ....Martin 3 7 4

3.0—EXNING HANDICAP of £10 each, with £300 added. 5 f. (Rous Co.)
Age st. lb.
041 POLYDIPSIA (Mr. S. Joel) De Mestre 5 9 11
100 LINBY (Mr. Montagu) ....Beatty 4 9 9
241 FRANCIS JOSEPH (Mr. M. Field) Rochfort 5 9 5
01 GOLDEN HERO (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 6 8 13
000 ALEXANDROSHENE (Mr. Raggio) Butters 4 8 7
0 FAR DAY (Mr. H. Gray) ..S. Darling 3 8 7
000 SILVER GRASS (Col. Story) J. Dawson 3 8 2
200 RED CREST (Mrs. L. Walker) H. Leader 3 8 1
324 CANARY SEED (Lord Lascelles) R. Marsh 3 7 10
004 WITTY (Mr. Don Fraser) ....R. Day 3 7 8
002 SONORA (His Majesty) ....R. Marsh 4 7 7
300 JASON (Mrs. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 3 7 7
002 CROSSJACK (Lord Glanely) ..C. Marsh 3 7 7
The above have arrived.
300 PRECIOUS (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 5 9 11
000 LA LUMIERE (Mr. W. Clark) Persse 3 7 12

3.30—ROYAL STAKES of £100 each (three-year-olds). 1¼ m. (A.F.)
st. lb.
000 APRON (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 9 3
011 SUN'S WAY (Lord Glanely) ....C. Marsh 8 12
325 FREE FROM PRIDE (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 8 12
301 DORIC (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ....Watson 8 12
100 EMULSION (Sir R. Jardine) ..T. Waugh 8 10
000 POLPERRO (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 8 7
224 BLUE SOL (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 2
030 LACKHAM (Lord Glanely) ....C. Marsh 8 2
0 KNIGHT OF THE LEOPARD (Mr. A. de Rothschild) ....Watson 8 2
000 MITRAILLEUSE (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 7 13
The above have arrived.
144 BOLD AND BAD (Lord Astor) ....Taylor 9 3
31 LIGHT HAND (Lord Astor) ....Private 8 12

SCRATCHINGS.—Southfield Plate—Tudor King, Count Tracy. Two-Year-Old Selling—Slovene colt, Notorious. Middle Park Plate—Resinato, Blandus, Bridge of Cahir, Transcendent, Iturea, San-Utar, Eaglestone, Spindrift, Tom Tell Troth, Henry VII., Malcontent, Sky Star, Sky Wave, Grand Joy, Grand Knight, Shining Spear, Shambles, Gallardo, Tragacanth, Merriment, Hillstar, Pomponious, Surdus, Lordship, Defiance, Merry Minstrel, Black Duke, Pando, Pasha, Pinnace, Startled, Haji Bibi, Charley's Mount, Mistress Overdone, Donzelon, Klondyke, Phalara, Golden Emblem, Great Adventure, Hobgoblin, Edwin, Philippi, Bonnet, Reggio, Pont Royal, Tabennite, Favara, Sacred Cause, Finger Print, Lynx-eyed, Barbarossa, Quentin Durward, Tom Pinch, Despatch, Clenfin, Spaewife. Mile Selling Plate—Brest, Phelim. Exning Welter—Eagerford. Royal Stakes—Phaon, Patras, Scyphius, Roi Soleil.

BLOODSTOCK SALES.

An uninviting morning yesterday at Newmarket, added to the fact that the catalogue held out no prospect of the auction proving in the least exciting, led to a small attendance in Park Paddocks, and the absentees lost nothing, the class of animal submitted being generally moderate. Details:—

	Gns.
By order of the Executrix of the late Mr. F. D. Osborne.	
Girl Guide, 9 yrs., by Pilot—Southern Cross II., with filly foal by Flying Orb, and covered by Prince Galahad (Mr. Rich)	220
Datine, 6 yrs., by Roi Herode—Cyrilla, covered by Bachelor's Double (Mr. W. Bailey)	660
Vinilla, 13 yrs., by Pericles—Cherry Agnes, covered by Silvern (Mr. Bowcher)	115
Nineveh, 9 yrs. (dam of Heverswood), by Simon Square—Nanita, covered by Silvern (Lord Dewar)	1400
Flower Show 2 yrs., by Grand Parade—Rockingden (Mr. A. Fallon)	155
Yearlings, the property of Mr. Frank Rogers.	
Ch. filly by Honey Bee—Lady Derelict (Mr. Cunliffe)	50
Bay colt by Honey Bee—Roseacre (British Bloodstock Agency)	530
Bay colt by Honey Bee—Tulliola (Mr. S. Wootton)	200
Yearlings from the Ballykisteen Stud.	
Ch. colt by Flying Orb—Angele (Mr. R. Pope)	460
Ch. colt by Sonning—Orveen (Mr. W. Nightingall)	370
Property of Mr. M. Goculdas.	
Royalist, yearling colt, by Skyrocket—Three Royals (Mr. C. Hodson)	1050
Brood Mares, the property of Mr. C. F. Kenyon.	
Dash, 4 yrs., by Diadumenos—Hasty, covered by Halestar (Mr. McKenna)	165
Goldella, 5 yrs., by Golden Sun—Blundella, covered by Grey Fox (Mr. W. Allison)	220
Horses in training from Highfield Stable.	
Scottish Elegance, 3 yrs., by Stornaway—Sweet Florence (Mr. Read)	100
Thirty Horses in Training from Lanwade House Stables.	
Bay filly (2 yrs.) by Junior—Mona Gough (Mr. Ashby)	175
Draft from Heath House Stables.	
Paulinus (4 yrs.), by Rochester—La Melba (Capt. Powell)	390
Guy Fawkes (3 yrs.), by Bonfire—Strange Tale (Mr. H. Arnold)	150

ALEXANDRA PARK MEETING.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3.

LONDON AUTUMN CUP (handicap), a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 1,000 sovs. added. One mile and a quarter.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Pondoland	4	9	0	Crubenmore	5	7	11
Eaglehawk	5	8	13	Fancy Man	6	7	10
Campbell Kid	4	8	7	Lord of Burghley	4	7	9
Villars	4	8	6				
Corcyrian	4	8	5	Page	4	7	9
Lauzun	5	8	4	Son o' Love	4	7	9
Blackland	5	8	2	Old Nic	3	7	6
Sanhedrim	4	8	1	Bold Danby	3	7	6
Golly Eyes	4	8	1	Azimuth	3	7	5
Roger de Busli	3	8	1	Miss Majority	6	7	4
Waygood	3	8	0	Dinkie	3	7	4
Palomides	6	7	13	Pass the Mint	4	7	2
Set Off	5	7	12	Advantage	3	7	1
Melibeus	4	7	12	Polisson	5	6	13
Celebrate	3	7	12	Indelible	3	6	13
Tomahawk	5	7	11	Vindictive	5	6	11
Envoy	6	7	11				

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

With Epinard and the Stewards' Cup runner-up, Jarvie, in some of the doubles with the Cesarewitch winner, Rose Prince, they both figured in yesterday's quotations on the Cambridgeshire. Epinard had backers at fours, but 7 to 2 was the top closing offer. Stratford had friends at tens, and after 100 to 9 had been booked about Dumas 10 to 1 became the top tender. Zariba and Jarvie were backed at their quoted rates. Details:—

THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

(Run Wednesday, October 31. Distance—1 m. 1 f.)

7 to 2 Epinard (o., after 4 to 1 t.) ....France 3 9 2
10 to 1 Stratford (o.) ....Taylor 4 8 4
10 to 1 Dumas (o., after 100 to 9 t.) ....Hogg 3 6 2
100 to 7 Zareba (o.) ....France 4 8 6
100 to 6 Verdict (o.) ....W. Waugh 3 7 12
100 to 6 Pharos (o.) ....Lambton 3 8 7
100 to 6 Lighthouse (o) ..H. Leader 3 7 7
20 to 1 My Lord (o.) ....Morton 3 8 2
25 to 1 Jarvie (t. and o.) ....Batho 3 7 5

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PONTEFRACT

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

With the general conditions favourable for the opening of Pontefract Meeting to-day there is every prospect of some excellent sport. All the events on the card are pretty substantially endowed, with the West Riding Handicap as the chief item, and this will be competed for by a useful field. In many instances it will be found that the runners have been travelling over a much longer journey than they are called upon to negotiate here, such as Irish Belfry, Silver Band, Jazz Band, and Highcliff having been figuring over long distance events. The handicap is a tricky one, but of the batch mentioned I prefer Highcliff, who is a winner over the course. He cleverly beat Advantage at the last meeting here, giving 10lb. to Lord Lascelles's filly. But more to my liking is Dinkie, who figured in the triangular dead-heat with Marvex and Dumas at Windsor, and had then 4lb. less in the saddle than called upon to carry here. I shall look to this one to win, and only in his absence would I suggest that Irish Belfry will score in the colours of Mr. Nolan. Selections:—

Lowther Nursery—**Amphora gelding.**
Trial Plate—**Viviani or Galloping Slav.**
Leeds Handicap—**Fastella.**
West Riding Handicap—**Dinkie**; if absent, **Irish Belfry.**
Fryston Nursery—**Armstrong's selected.**
Nostell Plate—**Hereford Lad.**

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left.]

1.30—LOWTHER (S.) NURSERY of £200. 5 f.
000 VELVETEX (late Churn) (Mr. Westgate) G. Sadler 7 13
(The above has arrived.)
01 SCANDALOUS (Mrs. Dickson) ....Rintoul 9 0
011 SURE GAIN (Mr. O'Sullivan) (7lb. ex.) O'Sullivan 8 12
014 FAIR DAISY (Mr. R. Smith) ....Anderson 8 12
000 ORGANIST (Mr. Hoyle) ....Reader 8 8
000 NAPLES (Mr. H. Williams) ....E. Leach 8 6
000 SIEDLIME F. (Mr. Mills) ....Anderson 8 6
040 STERNMARCH (Mr. H. Morris) Sanderson 8 6
000 NIGHT GUARD (Mr. A. Scott)....A. Scott 8 5
012 THE ROO (Capt. Wilson) ....J. Renwick 8 5
04 MISS PRIMROSE (Mr. Vasey) ....Vasey 8 3
000 LADY LOOKING GLASS C. (Lord Wolverton) ....Lambton 8 3
200 FURNES F. (Mr. Arthur Knowles)..Knowles 8 0
040 LADY JAQUENETTA (Lord Glanely) C. Marsh 8 0
000 ELKIE (Mr. S. Morris) ....Vasey 7 13
000 MALTBY GRANGE (Mr. Mollekin)..Vasey 7 13
020 DROPITIN (late Wallpaper) (Mr. Picken) Golightly 7 13
342 DEMONICUS (Lord Lonsdale)....Armstrong 7 10
320 PEELWELL (Capt. Rogerson)....J. Renwick 7 9
003 RUSTLING BELLE (Bellemir f.) (Mr. M. Vagliano) ....S. Darling 7 9
000 PAXFORD (Mr. Dickson) ....Rintoul 7 8
002 AMPHORA G. (Mr. Miller) ....Earl 7 8
000 LITTLE RED RAT (Mr. Bolton)....Riste 7 8
034 TRIOKACT (Mrs. Renwick)....J. Renwick 7 6
000 SMILING MORN (Sir E. Hoyle)..Armstrong 7 4
023 SHUT EYE (Mr. Jenkins) ....Archer 7 3
300 WAVING CORN (Mr. Hoyle) ....Reader 7 3
000 CANTAB QUEEN (Mr. Owen)....Sanderson 7 2
032 PUSSYBROOK (Mr. Hartley)....O'Sullivan 7 2
000 SHANGHAI (Sir H. Bird)....Hammond 7 1
000 JOHN HEREFORD (Mr. G. W. Smith) Drake 7 0

2.0—TRIAL SELLING PLATE of £200. 6 f.
130 GALLOPING SLAV (Mr. G. Renwick) J. Renwick 5 9 5
000 BANTRY (Sir H. Bird) ....Hammond 6 9 5
341 VIVIANI (Capt. Wilson) ....(—) 8 9 5
033 WARRINGTON (Capt. Elgee)..Wilkins 5 9 5
244 EASTERN VALLEY (Mr. Pease) Gilbert 7 9 2
100 ANTIPIRINE (Capt. Angler)....Angler 4 9 2
000 PEACE DECLARED (Mr. Brook) Green 5 9 2
330 CAHIRLIESKE (Mr. Dunkerley) Botterill 4 9 2
00 BACHELOR'S WARD (Mr. A. Lowry) H. Powney 3 8 11
210 BOARD OF GUARDIANS (Mr. H. Morris) ....Vasey 3 8 11
000 RUE DE RIVOLI (Mr. Vasey)....Vasey 4 8 7
000 COUNT VOLTA (Mr. Bolton)..Botterill 3 8 7
000 TRUSTY (Mr. Ault) ....Edwards 3 8 4
000 RATEAU (Mr. Ellis) ....Hehir 7 8 4
000 FLYING DESPATCH (Mr. Green) Angler 3 8 4
400 JUDO (Mr. T. Greenwood) ....(—) 4 8 4
000 GERION (Mr. Goold) ....Angler 4 8 4
020 LUSAYDA (Mr. Sharp) ....Walters 3 8 4
223 WHIRLPOOL (Mr. Wylam) J. Rhodes 2 7 9
00 HOLY TERROR (Mr. Botterill) Botterill 2 7 5
00 MAGIC FLIGHT (Mr. Albrecht) Osborne 2 7 2
0 FRESHWOMAN (Ld. Lonsdale) Armstrong 2 7 2

2.30—LEEDS HANDICAP of £400. 1 m.
024 TERESSKEN (Ld. Durham) ....Peck 5 9 6
000 PLAS NEWYDD (Ld. Wolverton) Lambton 4 8 11
053 HENRY OF RICHMOND (Ld. Lonsdale) ....R. Armstrong 4 8 8
101 NOCE D'ARGENT (10lb. ex.) (Mr. Wootton) ....Wootton 3 8 7
232 BRIDGE OF DUN (Mr. Jeffrey) ..Earl 3 8 5
The above have arrived.
200 SET OFF (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 5 9 9
001 BACHELOR'S FORT (7lb. ex.) (Mr. A. Lowry) ....H. Powney 5 9 7
002 LEMSTAR (Mr. Kenyon) ....Basley 5 8 13
303 HIS EXCELLENCY (Mrs. Platt) Beatty 4 8 11
031 UP GARRYOWEN (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Kenyon) ....Davis 3 8 10
000 BUCKSIE (Mr. Cogan)....G. Bennett 5 8 8
400 NANE SNUGGER (Mr. Rayner) ....East 4 8 6
004 JOHNNY ROEBUCK (Mr. Brook) Green 6 8 6
000 INVISIBLE (Miss Goodman) ....Lund 4 8 5
043 MINUTE GUN (Mr. A. Scott) ....Scott 4 8 5
402 FASTELLA (Mrs. McLaughlin) ..Burns 3 8 3
000 MAINGAFF (Mr. Goldwater) Hammond 3 8 2
000 FLAVIUS (Mr. O'Sullivan) ...O'Sullivan 4 8 0
100 SLEEPING PARTNER (Mr. Parr) Botterill 4 8 0
000 BAALGLICK (Mr. Mollekin) ....Vasey 3 8 0
400 BOLD KNIGHT (Mr. Kenyon) Basley 4 7 13
100 ROI DU CIEL (Mr. Goold) ..F. Archer 4 7 10
003 MARSHAL NEIL (Mr. Hartley) Peacock 6 7 9
421 EASTBRIDGE (Mr. McCormack) McCormack 5 7 9
210 ROYAL BROOM (Mr. Gunter) ..Gunter 3 7 8
304 BRAXIMA (Mr. A. Scott) ....A. Scott 6 7 5
303 GEORGE CRAG (Mr. Smith) ....Drake 6 7 3
300 KATE HARDCASTLE (Mr. Plummer) Vasey 3 7 0

3.0—WEST RIDING AUTUMN HANDICAP of £1,000. 1¼ m.
423 IRISH BELFRY (Mr. Nolan) R. W. Colling 4 8 13
202 COLOSSUS (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 3 8 8
040 STEAMER (Mr. H. Dickson)....Rintoul 5 7 13
300 HIGHCLIFF (Mr. H. Smith)....Flynn 4 7 12
111 DINKIE (Mrs. Jeffrey) ....Earl 3 7 10
000 PLAS NEWYDD (Lord Wolverton) Lambton 4 7 8
003 YOKEL (Mr. Read)....G. Armstrong 5 7 6
002 GABRIELLE (Mr. Harvie) ....G. Sadler 3 7 3
The above have arrived.
200 SET OFF (Mr. S. Joel) ....De Mestre 5 8 6
431 SILVER BAND (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 4 8 6
100 ENVOY (Mr. H. Brown) ....H. Brown 6 8 2
120 JAZZ BAND (Mr. A. Scott)....Scott 4 8 1
TARA HILL (Mr. H. Hartigan)..Ireland 3 7 13
104 MARITIME (Mr. Mollekin) ....Vasey 3 7 7
134 CLODIA (Mr. A. Straker)....Peacock 3 7 6
043 MINUTE GUN (Mr. A. Scott) A. Scott 4 7 2

3.30—FRYSTON NURSERY of £200. 5 f.
400 MASTER PERCY (Mr. Whitworth)..Butters 8 5
001 BAYORA F. (Sir E. Hoyle)..R. Armstrong 7 12
SIR BELVEDERE (Mr. Connor)....Gunter 7 10
400 DISARMED (Lord Durham) ....Peck 7 6
The above have arrived.
0 RIVELIN (Mr. Fox) ....R. Armstrong 8 12
0 NOT FAR (Mr. A. Scott)....A. Scott 8 12
011 PRINCESS SUBLIME (Sir G. Renwick) W. Renwick 8 9
020 LIVE WIRE (Lord Wolverton)....Lambton 8 8
003 L.S.D. (Mrs. Pare) ....F. Leader 8 7
100 HIS LORDSHIP (Miss Ault)....Edwards 8 6
000 FLAITH MOR (Mr. Whitaker)....Whitaker 8 5
130 SPRING RUNNING (Mr. D. Waugh) D. Waugh 8 5
430 ELEANOR M. FILLY (Lord Derby) Lambton 8 5
213 WHITE CAT (Capt. Broadley)....Beaumont 8 4
001 FAIR DINKUM (Colonia g.) (Mr. O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan 8 3
000 ORGANIST (Mr. Hoyle) ....Reader 8 1
030 CRAVENETTE C. (Mr. Sharp)....Walters 8 1
0 PIANOLA (Mr. Calton) ....Green 8 1
140 HUNTING MORN (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 8 0
040 STERNMARCH (Mr. Morris)....Sanderson 7 13
000 NIGHT GUARD (Mr. A. Scott)....A. Scott 7 12
030 RED CYDER (Mr. Thompson)..F. Hartigan 7 12
000 FREE STATE (Mr. Waldron) ....Bramley 7 12
000 DANUM (Mr. S. Morris) ....Vasey 7 11
402 GLENSIMMON (Capt. Wilson)...J. Renwick 7 11
421 FARICENA C. (7lb. ex.) (Sir E. Hoyle) R. Armstrong 8 0
002 CHAPELTOWN (Mr. H. Morris)....Vasey 7 8
400 CLYDEBRIDGE'S PRIDE (Mr. Busser) Golightly 7 5
422 BECKYCILLA (Mr. R. Smith)....Anderson 7 5

4.0—NOSTELL PLATE of £200. 2¼ m.
430 YOUNG POLE (Lady Nunburnholme) Rochfort 5 9 4
011 SUNNY ROSE (Mr. Collins) ....Collins 3 9 0
MARTIN FITE (Mr. Kenyon)....Basley 7 8 11
110 CHARLADY (Mr. Hogg) ....Hogg 3 8 11
1 ALDERSYDE (late Sixty-four) (Mr. F. Rhodes) ....O'Sullivan 3 8 11
032 REDHILL (Mr. Thompson)..F. Hartigan 4 8 11
031 AULD LANG SYNE (Mr. A. Scott) A. Scott 4 8 11
142 RUBUS (Mr. Dugdale) ....Peacock 3 8 4
341 HARD BATTLE (Mr. F. Hardy)..Hogg 3 8 4
021 HEREFORD LAD (Mr. Mollekin)..Vasey 4 8 4
400 BUTTERTHWAITE (Major S. Smith) Smallwood 4 8 2
0 FOXTROT (Capt. Brennand)...Brennand 7 7 13
033 BENEFICE (Mr. Brook) ....Green 5 7 13
033 KING'S CROSS (Mr. Hope)..W. Waugh 5 7 13
304 BRAXINA (Mr. A. Scott)....A. Scott 6 7 13

LIMERICK JUNCTION.

M. DAWSON'S TWO WINS.

Compared to the previous day, the racing at Limerick Junction yesterday was tame, and a couple of the races were very uninteresting. There were no steeplechases included on the card, four flat races and a hurdle race making up the programme. Though dull and threatening in the morning, the weather held fine all day, but the attendance was somewhat smaller than on Wednesday. Backers had no reason to complain with the course of events, for in all four first favourites scored, but in a couple of instances the odds asked for were prohibitive.

As is customary now-a-days, Mr. J. Musker's colours were much in evidence, and once more a couple of races fell to this lucky owner. Old Pal, with only Moor Maiden in opposition, had an easy task in the Maiden Hurdle race, and Frank Colin, likewise, had very moderate opposition for the Stand Plate. Willie Gluck and Woodley were the best fancied of the ten runners for the Directors' Plate. Woodley ran in disappointing style, and at no part of the race justified his position in the wagering; but Willie Gluck, going into the lead early, remained there to the end, and won in comfortable style from Edgar's Fame. Farasius, galloping on to the heels of another horse, slipped up and fell about a furlong from home, but his mishap had no bearing on the result. Thistle Bud, who had run second to Royal M. at the last meeting at the Junction, had nothing of the same class to beat in the Sprinters' Plate, and this he won in ready style from Ormiston, thus completing a double for M. Dawson's stable. There was an upset to calculations in the Welter Plate, which was won by Happy Princess. For this the penalised Hope On and Highland Daisy were the fancied candidates, but neither ever looked like tackling Mr. Wallis's filly, who led all the way. Details:—

2.45—MAIDEN HURDLE RACE of 50 sovs. 1½ m.
Mr. J. Musker's b. or br. g. OLD PAL, by Grosvenor—Best of Friends, 3, 10-10 T. Burns 1
Mr. B. L. Philpot's MOOR MAID, 3, 10-10 J. Moylan 2
(Winner trained by Mr. Parkinson.)
Betting—7 to 2 on OLD PAL.
They ran in close company for half the journey, when Old Pal drew away and won by thirty lengths.

3.15—DIRECTORS' PLATE of 75 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 6 f.
Mr. Jos. Whelan's ch. c. WILLIE GLUCK, by William Rufus—Gluckvogel, 4, 8-12 E. Quirke 1
Mr. P. Corcora's EDGAR'S FAME, a, 8-4 D. Ward 2
Mr. M. C. Collins's LADY HILL, 4, 9-2 P. Cullen 3
Mr. N. J. Grene's Knock Brack, 5, 10-4 J. Moylan 0
Mr. T. Lynch's Woodley, 4, 9-9 ....T. Burns 0
Mr. Jos. Walsh's V.V., 5, 9-6 ....J. McNeill 0
Major Dixon's Ballystockart, 4, 8-7 ....D. Ruttle 0
Mr. W. A. Wallis's Noble Princess, 4, 8-12 M. Wing 0
Mr. John O'Sullivan's Ashfield, 6, 8-10 A. Barrett 0
Mr. W. F. Power's Farasius, 4, 8-1 P. Fitzgerald 0
(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. WILLIE GLUCK, 3 to 1 Woodley, 5 to 1 Ashfield, 8 to 1 Lady Hill, 100 to 8 any other.
Ballystockart led from Willie Gluck, Knock Brack, Woodley, Edgar's Fame, Noble Princess, Farasius, Ashfield, V.V., and Lady Hill for half way, when Willie Gluck took the lead, and making the remainder of the running won by two and a half lengths; three lengths divided second and third. Knock Brack was fourth, Noble Princess fifth, and V.V. next. Farasius fell at the distance.

3.45—STAND PLATE of 50 sovs. A weight-for-age flat race. 1 m. 6 f.
Mr. J. Musker's b. c. FRANK COLIN, by Spearmint—Francolin, 3, 11-13 ....T. Burns 1
Mr. J. P. Hogan's MANISTER STAR, 3, 10-8 P. O'Hara 2
Mr. P. F. Hickey's SARDA, 6, 11-6 ..J. Moylan 3
Mr. J. H. Wallace's Vlicatchim, 5, 11-1 Mr. Slocock 0
Miss M. Wallace's Never a Wink, 4, 11-7 Mr. J. H. Wallace 0
(Winner trained by Mr. Parkinson.)
Betting—3 to 1 on FRANK COLIN, 4 to 1 agst. Manister Star, 20 to 1 any other.
Manister Star came on from Sarda, Vlicatchim, Frank Colin, and Never a Wink, for half-way, when Sarda drew into the lead, attended by Manister Star, Vlicatchim, Frank Colin, and Never a Wink. At the distance Frank Colin assumed the lead, and won by three lengths; ten lengths divided second and third. Never a Wink was fourth.

4.15—SPRINTERS' PLATE of 100 sovs. For maiden two years old. 5 f.
Mr. W. O'Driscoll's ch. g. THISTLE BUD, by Thistleton—Daisy Bud, 8-8 ....E. Quirke 1
Mr. J. Comie's ORMISTON, 8-7 ....J. Dines 2
Mr. P. Sheehan's POMME DE GUERRE, 8-7 J. Patman 3
Mr. N. J. Grene's The Mount, 8-6 ....J. Moylan 0
Mr. B. Kirby's Abdulla, 8-7 ....M. Wing 0
Mr. J. Musker's Master Blanchette 8-7 T. Burns 0
Mr. W. A. Wallis' Transit, 8-5 ....W. Hoysted 0
Mr. Jos. Walshe's Fast Lass, 8-5 ....A. Barrett 0
(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. THISTLE BUD, 5 to 2 Ormiston, 4 to 1 Master Blanchette, 20 to 1 any other.
Thistle Bud was smartest to begin, followed by Ormiston, Master Blanchette, Abdulla, and The Mount, and making all the running, won by four lengths; three lengths divided second and third. Master Blanchette was fourth, Abdulla fifth, and The Mount next.

4.45—WELTER PLATE of 75 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 1 f.
Mr. W. A. Wallis' b. f. HAPPY PRINCESS, by Captivation—Princess Eager, 3, 8-10 M. Wing 1
Mr. J. Hayes' HIGHLAND DAISY, 3, 9-3 J. Moylan 2
Mrs. D. Moloney's POLISH PRINCE, 3, 9-8 D. Ward 3
Mr. R. Wallace's Fast Asleep, 6 10-0 J. M'Neill 0
Mr. P. Cullinan's Zara, 3, 9-4 ....Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. B. M. Slocock's Hope On, 3, 9-10..T. Burns 0
(Winner trained by J. Staunton.)
Betting—7 to 4 each agst. Hope On and Highland Daisy, 5 to 1 Zara, 6 to 1 Fast Asleep, 10 to 1 each HAPPY PRINCESS and Polish Prince.
Happy Princess made play from Fast Asleep, Highland Daisy, Hope On, Polish Prince, and Zara, to inside the distance, when Highland Daisy took second place, but failed to get on terms with Happy Princess, who won by three-quarters of a length; a similar distance divided second and third. Hope On was fourth and Fast Asleep next.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Poisoned Arrow was struck out of the Cambridgeshire at 10.10 a.m. Wednesday.

The Aga Khan has decided to keep Teresina in training another year with a view to cup races.

The weights for the Free Handicap, for two-year-olds, Newmarket Houghton Meeting, will be published next week.

Silurian having been withdrawn and Juniso broken down, there will be no race for the Whip at Newmarket to-day.

Although the Cesarewitch winner, Rose Prince, was a comparative outsider, there are a number of more or less substantial doubles still existent in connection with Cambridgeshire candidates.

The well-bred stallion Lemonora, by Lemberg—Honora, which was put up for sale at Newmarket on Wednesday, passed into the possession of the Hon. Robert Watson, and will stand, as before, at the Offchurch Stud, Leamington, at the reduced fee of 95 gns.

An action by William Henshall, of Golder's Green, against H. G. Fogg, of Doncaster, to recover the amount of cheques paid in respect of betting losses came before Mr. Justice Branson in the High Court, London, on Tuesday, when judgment was given for the defendant, with costs.

The acceptances for the Grand Sefton Steeplechase were awaited with considerable interest at Newmarket. Old Tay Bridge has been undergoing a careful preparation, presumably for the race. Headquarter stables are likely to play an unusually prominent part in racing this coming season under National Hunt Rules. Very many more than usual are the number of horses, which are marked at Newmarket for the jumping campaign.

At a meeting of the Jockey Club, held at Newmarket on Wednesday, Lord Jersey brought forward, on behalf of the Stewards, an addition to Rule 178, Section B, as follows:—"Any person, being an owner of horses, who by advertisement, circular letter, or otherwise, offers to give information concerning his own or other horses in return for a monetary consideration, or any owner of horses who connives at such practice, is liable to be made a disqualified person as above."

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Cambridgeshire—Poisoned Arrow, at 10.10 a.m. on Wednesday.
Mile Selling Plate, Newmarket—Felim.
Frickley Plate, Doncaster—Colintrave filly.
Uttoxeter engagements—Down South, Martin Fitz.
Newcastle engagements—Serves All.
Meldon Handicap, Newcastle—Golden Hair.
Apprentice Plate, Windsor—Croiseur.
Lingfield Park engagements, October 20—Home Fire and Grave and Gray.

HUNTING FIXTURES.

THE LOUTH HOUNDS.

October—Friday, 26th, Castlebellingham; Tuesday, 30th, Hilltown. November—Friday, 2nd, Mooretown; Tuesday, 6th, Ardcath; Friday, 9th, Ballybrack; Tuesday, 13th, Townley Hall; Friday, 16th, Aclint; Tuesday, 20th, Gormanston; Friday, 23rd, Mullen's Cross. At 11 a.m.

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Judge—Mr. M. Davin. Slipper—R. Redmond.

MOONCOIN STAKES—For 16 dog puppies. Winner, £20; second, £8; two dogs, £2 each.
Mr. A. Mahon's Moidir beat Mr. Mullin's Yarn.
Mrs. Coghlan's Chevalier beat Mr. Master's Ballygibbon.
Mr. Lyng's Lenin beat Mr. Rockett's Hard Rattle.
Mr. Rafter's Rush the Rampart beat Mr. Fitzgerald's Cheerful Joe.
Mr. Kearney's Julia's Pup beat Mr. Gorey's Glenard.
Mr. Grace's Gathabeg beat Mr. Walsh's Wild Honey.
Mr. Brennan's Dorando beat Mr. Pembroke's Paddy's Boy.
Mrs. Coghlan's Charade beat Mr. O'Halloran's Irish Hope II.

II.
Chevalier beat Moidir.
Lenin beat Rush the Rampart.
Gathabeg beat Julia's Pup.
Charade beat Dorando.

III.
Lenin beat Chevalier.
Gathabeg beat Charade.

IV.
Mr. Lyng's bd. Lenin (Full Speed—Lismore) and Mr. Grace's bd. Gathabeg (Slieve Donard—Gusset) divided.

KILMACOW STAKES—For 8 bitch puppies. Winner, £11; second, £5.
Mr. Lyng's Lady Kildare, a bye; Mr. Phelan's Peace Pact, absent.
Mr. Harte's Hidden Light beat Mr. Kearney's Sweet Killarney.
Mr. Gorey's Gallacia beat Mr. Dunphy's Dreammaker.
Mr. Hickey's Hunting Song beat Mrs. Coghlan's Campaigner.

II.
Hidden Light beat Lady Kildare.
Hunting Song beat Gallacia.

III.
Mr. Harte's bd. Hidden Light (Full Speed—Lismore) and Mr. Hickey's bd. Hunting Song (Hunter's Son—Dulict Harmony) divided.

SILVERSPRING STAKES—For 13 all-ages. Winner, £40; second, £13; two dogs, £5 5/- each.
Mr. Condon's Sean the Liar beat Mr. Kehoe's Tubberanaska.
Mr. Butler's Brilliant Victory beat Mr. Scanlan's Croppy Boy IX.
Mr. O'Brien's Victorious Crawler beat Mr. Butler's Castle Craddock.
Mr. Flexmore's Faustus beat Mr Prendergast's Murphy's Double.
Mr. Harte's Hidden Rock beat Mr. Twomey's Flying Friend.
Mr. Gorey's Goulstown Gun beat Mr. Burke's Mathew's Hill.
Mr. Hawe's Victorious Shawn, a bye.

II.
Sean the Liar beat Brilliant Victory.
Faustus beat Victorious Crawler.
Hidden Rock beat Victorious Shawn.
Gaulstown Gun, a bye.

III.
Faustus beat Sean the Liar.
Hidden Rock beat Gaulstown Gun.

IV.
Mr. Harte's bd. d. Hidden Rock (Full Speed—Hidden Wave) beat Mr. Flexmore's bd. d. Faustus (Winning Wizard—Miss Caine).

CARRIGEEN STAKES—For 13 all-ages. Winner, £16; second, £6; third and fourth, £2 each.
Mr. Myers' Quiet Boy II. beat Mr. Conway's Cash In.
Mr. J. Walsh's Nice Word beat Mr. Haynes' Irish Pat.
Mr. Kavanagh's Finmore beat Mr. T. Walsh's Whistling.
Mr. Morris' Guiding String beat Mr. Ryan's Rinnce Fada.
Mr. Fitzgerald's Malahide IV. beat Mr. Shanahan's Sixty-Six.
Mr. Dwyer's Document No. 3 beat Mr. Bowers' Bramble.
Mr. Power's Piltown Peg a bye.

II.
Quiet Boy II. beat Nice Word.
Guiding String beat Finmore.
Malahide IV. beat Piltown Peg.
Document No. 3 a bye.

III.
Quiet Boy II. beat Guiding String.
Document No. 3 beat Malahide IV.

IV.
Mr. D. Myers' w. bk. d. Quiet Boy II. (Let 'Im Out—Quiet Tree) beat Mr. J. O'Dwyer's Document No. 3 (Full Speed—Cheerful Beauty).

A bad break in the weather in the morning had its effect on the attendance at Silverspring yesterday, but as the rain cleared as the day wore on there was a marked improvement in the size of the company. It was a capital day's coursing, there being plenty of work in each trial, for the hares ran stoutly up the incline. The course in that respect was much better than we have seen at any meeting since the opening of the season.

Mr. T. Harte's kennel was again strongly represented on this occasion, by Hidden Rock in the All-Aged Stakes and Hidden Light in the Kilmacow Stakes. He divided the bitch puppies with Hidden Light, which shared honours with Hunting Song. Both gave stylish displays, Hunting Song especially so.

Hidden Rock went with much fire in the Silverspring Stakes to lead Flying Friend, a Cork Cup winner, a long way, and he also administered thrashings to Victorious Shawn and Gaulstown Gun, going up well in front of both, but his most decisive victory was in the decider, in which he was half a dozen lengths faster than Faustus, and did not concede a point of any sort.

Lenin and Gathabeg decided the dog puppies, but Chevalier and Charade would likely have done better on the flat. They evidently were out of their element on the rising ground to the spinney, for after two fast courses they were unable to stay on.

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MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY MOTOR CYCLE CLUB.

A social run has been arranged for next Tuesday evening, starting at 7.30 o'clock. For details see notice boards at the Front Gate. A short reliability trial will be held on Saturday, November 3, confined to members of the club. Saturday, November 17, has been provisionally fixed for the Open General Efficiency Trial.

The Closed Trial for the Joly Cup will be held on December 12, to be followed by the annual general meeting and club dinner.

All intending members are requested to communicate with the Hon. Secretary, Mr. G. Sparrow, 6 Trinity College.

HOCKEY.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY (4) v. THREE ROCK ROVERS (2).

The meeting of the "A" teams of the these clubs in the College Park yesterday resulted in a fast, open game, despite the fact that the ground was on the heavy side, owing to the morning's rain. Lacking a regular goal-keeper, Rovers played three backs, and on the whole it proved successful. Play ruled even for some time, and it was midway through the half before Eyre scored a good goal, following a long pass from MacDonagh. Shortly afterwards Eagar went through on his own, and brought the scores level with a fast cross-shot. Subsequently Trinity had rather the better of matters, but, shooting badly, failed to score until close on half-time, when a neat, combined run by Williams and MacDonagh wound up by the latter scoring again.

Re-starting, Rovers attacked, but the defence held out until a fast shot by Brown was partially cleared, and Mahony, following up fast, made the scores level again. Another spell of give-and-take until coming to the finish goals by MacDonagh and Williams in turn made the result certain. Teams:—

Dublin University—D. Vanston; J. Tuke, O. G. Wilde; E. J. Gahan, W. L. Connell, G. H. Spiller; J. M. Eyre, R. W. Varian, J. V. Williams, W. P. MacDonagh, W. R. Acheson.

Three Rock Rovers—G. F. Storey; C. Blair-White, G. K. Pilkington; J. McConchy, R. Brown, R. E. Steen; A. Robinson, H. Turpin, J. Mahony, M. Eagar, C. Buitenshaw.

Umpires—Messrs. E. C. Micks and F. Hudson.

RATHGAR HOCKEY CLUB.

Final general practice will be held at the club ground, Rathfarnham (entrance from Bloomfield Laundry) to-morrow at 3.15 p.m. All members and intending members are requested to be present, as a general meeting will be held immediately afterwards.

RUGBY.

RAILWAY UNION F.C.

Members please note that the match against Blackrock College will take place at Nutley avenue, and not Williamstown, as advised.

MALAHIDE F.C.

There will be a general practice to-morrow at 3 p.m. All members and intending members are requested to turn out.

SWIMMING.

IRISH WATER POLO CUP.

The following will represent Pembroke S.C. in the final of the Irish Water Polo Cup v. Victoria S.C. to-night in Templemore Baths, Belfast:—C. R. Batt, E. E. Benson, B. W. Poots, H. F. Case, Dr. J. Beckett (capt.), O. N. Armstrong, H. G. Ellerker. The team will travel by the 3 o'clock train from Amiens street.

BOXING.

TYNCKE BEATS JACKSON.

In a fifteen rounds' match at the Ring, Blackfriars, last night, the Belgian welter weight, Ernest Tyncke, knocked out Bob Jackson, of Tilbury, in the tenth round. Jackson showed some good boxing early on, while Tyncke was always a trier. Jackson got the lead until the nicely-timed right cross put him out of action.

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ASSOCIATION.

IRELAND V. ENGLAND.

THE ANGLO-IRISH QUESTION AGAIN.

(FROM A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Thursday.

The refusal of several Irish-born players connected with English clubs to play for their country against England at Belfast on Saturday make the event farcical, and it is high time that the International Board took the whole matter into consideration, with a view to placing the competition on a sounder basis than it is at present.

There is at least one member of the English International Selection Committee who considers that the present method of conducting the International Championship Tournament is not only unsatisfactory, but unwise. He declares that he has endeavoured to induce his colleagues to advocate a reform which would debar the Welsh, Irish, and Scottish Associations from calling upon players with English clubs for their International sides.

On the face of it this seems an amazing and a most drastic method of reform; but there is something to be said in favour of the point of view, although it would not meet with the general approval.

It is this official's view that the present method defeats the original intention of the promoters of the tournament, which, he argues, was established with the express purpose of forming a comparison between the football played in the various countries. Under the present system no such comparison can possibly be drawn, for the Irish teams are usually chosen almost *en bloc* from players on this side of St. George's Channel; the Welsh Association always come to the English clubs for the majority of their players; and even Scotland has shown a fondness in recent years for the Anglo-Scots.

On the other hand, England never goes outside for any players, although in Wales and Scotland there have been English-born players worthy of a place in the team. It is a most interesting argument; but I am afraid that any attempt to bring about a limitation of choice is doomed to failure.

The Inter-League matches provide a test of the football in the various countries; but the matches do not make the same appeal to the crowds as the real Internationals, particularly in Scotland and Ireland.

In England there is no really great enthusiasm for either Inter-League or International football, the majority of the enthusiasts preferring a League match any time; but the Irish and the Scots have national football patriotism very highly developed, and I am sure that they would never agree to forego their wishes to include players of note who have been induced to leave their native land by tempting financial offers by the wealthy English clubs.

The really good footballer in Ireland or in Wales has little chance of making any big fame or any fortune in his own country. The League clubs in England, of course, cannot pay above a fixed amount; but the prospect of a big benefit is very alluring, and it is easy to tempt the Irish and Welsh players of note to come to this country.

Under the circumstances it would scarcely be fair to debar them from playing for their native countries. The present birth qualification would meet the case admirably, if only some clause were inserted making it compulsory for any player invited to accept the offer of his country's selection.

REVISED IRISH TEAM.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BELFAST, Thursday.

Rollo (Blackburn Rovers), Kennedy (Arsenal), and M'Kinney are unable to play for Ireland in the match against England at Belfast to-morrow, and their places will be taken by M'Cluggage (Bradford), Curran (Glenavon), and Brown (Tranmere Rovers). Croft (Queen's Island) will fill the position which was left vacant for Gallagher (Glasgow Celtic) at inside right. The English team arrived yesterday, and will stay at Newcastle, Co. Down, until to-morrow.

GOLF.

ARMY IN ULSTER MEETING.

In the first round of the regimental competition for the cup presented by Major-General A. R. Cameron, C.B., C.M.G., Headquarters Staff beat the 1st Lincolns' B team; the Queen's Own A team beat 1st Lincolns A team; 1st Seaforths beat R.A.S.C.

Captain Miller, 81, won the prize for the best gross score; Captain Hammond, 90, second; Major Bissett, 82, won the handicap medal; Lieutenant Peddie, 85, second.

ALLIS WINS ESSEX CHAMPIONSHIP.

Percy Allis, Wanstead, the former Sheffield caddie, and later South Wales professional, who recently took his appointment with the Essex club, yesterday won the Essex Professional Championship at Finton with an aggregate of 292 for 72 holes. Bert Seymour, West Essex, the holder, finished third with 313. A. Tingey, junior, Frinton, being second with 310.

OPEN CHAMPION IN YORKSHIRE.

An extremely interesting match was played at Lees Hall, Sheffield, yesterday, the participants being A. G. Havers, Coombe Hill, the open champion, and Tom Williamson, Nottinghamshire, the famous Midlands veteran, which ended all square. Later in a four-ball match Havers and J. D. Atkinson, the local professional, beat Williamson and L. Herrington, Abbeydale, 2 up.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY BEAT J. G. BARRINGTON WARD'S TEAM.

In a match, by foursomes, at Southfield yesterday, Oxford University defeated J. G. Barrington Ward's team by 7 games to 5, one game being halved. In the leading match this year's Blues, J. A. MacIntosh and A. R. Nall Cain, lost against G. R. Girdlestone and Sir J. Kyles, 3 and 2.

LADIES' FOURSOMES AT RANELAGH.

Miss Wethered and her partner yesterday entered the semi-final of the Ladies' Foursomes Tournament at Ranelagh, while Miss Cecil Leitch and Miss Grant Suttie were defeated in the fifth round by last year's winners, Miss D. R. Fowler and Miss J. Rogers. In the fourth round Miss Wethered and Mrs. Olaf Hambro beat Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Martin Hall and in the afternoon were one up at the turn against Lady Alness and Miss Leetham, who lost the next three holes. A half immediately after that ended the match. Miss Leitch and Miss Grant Suttie, in the fourth round, had to give 4 strokes to Miss Bramwell and Mrs. Walker Leigh, and the former British champions in the early stages were 2 down. They improved their position gradually, but it was not until the fourteenth hole had been played that they took the lead. The next two holes were divided, and an excellent mashie shot by Miss Grant Suttie was instrumental in her side's securing the seventeenth in 3 for the match. Later in the day Miss Leitch and Miss Grant Suttie were 1 up at the turn on Miss Fowler and Miss Rogers. Last year's winners fought hard to square the match, but they did not succeed until they were one hole from home. A superb approach by Miss Rogers at the eighteenth paved the way for Miss Fowler to win the hole and the match. Details:—

Fourth Round.—Lady Alness (Harrogate) and Miss Leetham (Ganton), 13, beat Miss P. Cotgrave (Stoke Poges) and Miss D. Hartill (Copt Heath), 16—5 and 3; Miss Joyce Wethered (Worplesdon) and Mrs. Olaf Hambro (Ashdown Forest), 3, beat Mrs. C. F. Richardson (Wimbledon) and Mrs. Martin Hall (Princes Mitcham), 18—3 up; Mrs. Kelway Bamber and Mrs. Walter Nielson (Prestwick St. Nicholas), 14, beat Mrs. R. H. Deane and Miss M. Proctor (Hanger Hill), 9—5 and 3; Mrs. McNair and Mrs. Hetherington (Oxhey), 7, beat Mrs. Alec Johnstone (St. George's Hill) and Mrs. F. H. White (Roehampton), 18—3 and 1; Mrs. Cecil Myers (Formby) and Mrs. S. A. Scott (Sandy Lodge), 15, beat Mrs. Dobson (Brocton Hall) and Miss Boosey (Chislehurst), 19—3 and 1; Mrs. C. M. Knight and Mrs. Max Page (Walton), 14, beat Mrs. T. F. Crane and Mrs. A. H. Beatty (Mid-Surrey), 18—1 up; Miss Cecil Leitch (Carlisle and Silloth) and Miss E. Grant Suttie (Sunningdale), 7, beat Miss V. Bramwell (Longashton) and Mrs. Walker Leigh (Hove), 18—2 and 1; Miss D. R. Fowler and Miss J. Rogers (Burnham Somerset), 7, beat Mrs. Bond and Miss Snelgrove (Ashdown Forest), 18, at the 19th.

Fifth Round.—Miss Wethered and Mrs. Hambro beat Lady Alness and Miss Leetham—4 and 3; Mrs. McNair and Mrs. Hetherington beat Mrs. Bamber and Mrs. Nielson, at the 19th; Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Page beat Mrs. Myers and Mrs. Scott—3 and 1; Miss Fowler and Miss Rogers beat Miss Leitch and Miss Grant Suttie—1 up.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

DUBLIN UNITED G.S.A.—The first dinner of the D.U.G.S.A. will be held in Messrs. Clery's Restaurant on Saturday, November 10th, at 7.30. Members of affiliated societies wishing to be present should at once apply through their hon. secretaries for cards of invitation, so that all applications for cards may be before the Committee of the Association on or before Monday, 29th inst. The Committee cannot guarantee accommodation for any applicants after that date.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.—To-day — Captain's prize, 36 holes by strokes, at Dollymount. Choose opponents. Sweep for best 18 holes.

CLONTARF.—To-morrow—St. Andrew's Cup, 18 holes (strokes), first eight to qualify. Limit 20 handicap.

KILLINEY—To-morrow—Medal, strokes. Committee meeting 5 p.m.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY'S NEWMARKET MEETING.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.
Sportsman	Safety First.	Grand Excel.*	Woodend.	Sunny Bill.	Crossjack.	Bold and Bad.
Man on the Spot	Bessema; if ab., Carbonaro.	Mr. S. Joel's selected.	Diophon.	Polycarey; if ab., Sunny Bill.	Linby; if ab., Francis Joseph.	Bold and Bad.
Sporting Life	Bessema; if ab., Carbonaro.	Grand Excel.	Diophon.*	Polycarey.	Linby.	Bold and Bad.
Man on the Spot	Carbonaro.	Sternlight.	Diophon.	Polycarey.	Francis Joseph.*	Doric.
Westminster Gazette	Carbonaro.	Grand Excel.	Woodend.	Polycarey.	Crossjack.	Doric.
Daily News	Carbonaro.	Molette.	Diophon.*	Polycarey.	Crossjack.	Bold and Bad.
Daily Chronicle	Revival.	Sternlight.	Woodend.	Young Man's Fancy.	Crossjack.	Doric.
Daily Express	Bessema; if ab., Carbonaro.	Grand Excel; if ab., Miss Grits filly.	Diophon.	Polycarey.	Francis Joseph.*	Doric; if ab., Bold and Bad.
Daily Mirror	Bessema.	Sternlight.	Diophon.	Polycarey.	Crossjack.	Doric.
Daily Graphic	Bessema.	Peg o' my Heart filly.	Diophon.*	Polycarey.	Crossjack.	Bold and Bad.
Star	Bessema.	Sternlight.	Bright Knight.	Warrain.	Canary Seed.	Bold and Bad.
Evening News	Safety First.*	Sternlight.	Woodend.	—	Crossjack.*	Doric.
Pall Mall	Carbonaro.	Slovene colt.	Arcade.	Brest.	Crossjack.	Doric.*
Evening Standard	Carbonaro.	Peg o' my Heart filly.	Woodend.	—	Crossjack.	Doric.
Daily Mail	!	—	—	Brest.	Crossjack.	Bold and Bad.
Times	Bessema; if ab., Carbonaro.	Sternlight; if ab., Peg o' My Heart f.	Diophon.	Young Man's Fancy.	Crossjack.	Bold and Bad; danger, Doric.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

REACTIONARY TENDENCY FAIRLY GENERAL. GREAT NORTHERN RAIL ORDINARY AND NATIONAL BANKS HIGHER.

There was a slight reactionary tendency in some Securities on 'Change yesterday which recently had risen or tended upwards. The Funds suffered in this way, as a pretty general, but slight, set-back in prices is shown. Dublin Port and Docks 3½ p.c. Stock also gave way. Banking Securities were quiet, with Nationals better and Bank Stock and Royals weaker. Guinness Ord. were busy and the turn lower at the close. Distillers Company Shares were called ex-rights. City Steam was dull at last price. Marconis did not quote. Home Rails were nearly neglected, but Great Northern Ord. rose, while the Pref. was lower. Trams were featureless. Parent Tyre Pref. were sold at a further decline. Tobaccos gave way, but reactions will do the market good. Vickers and other concerns in this group were in good demand on the Government's winter programme of work. White Tomkins were higher. Oils were active, and Shells rose sharply.

The Funds were weaker. Consols fell ⅛ to 58⅛, War Loan 5 p.c. ⅛ to 102⅞, with a later recovery to 102 11/16; Funding Loan ⅛ to 90 11/16, Conversion Loan 1/16 to 78 11/16, and Guaranteed 2¾ p.c. Land Stock ⅛ to 61. Irish Land 3 p.c. repeated 66½.

Dublin Port and Docks 3½ p.c. fell 1½ to 58½.

In Banks, Nationals rose 1/16 to 19 11/16, but Bank of Ireland Stock fell ½ to 248, and Royals ⅛ to 13⅞. Munster and Leinsters were firm at 6 11/16, and Hibernians at 6 11/16.

Among Breweries, etc., Guinness opened and closed 1/16 lower at 37, after touching last price. The Pref. also fell 1/16 to 12 1/16, and later rallied to 12 1/16. J. Jameson and Son Debs. at 7½ and J. Power and Son Pref. at 20s. were firm.

City Steam at later market repeated 138.

As regards Home Railways, Great Northern rose 1 to 62, but the Pref. fell ½ to 66. Dublin and South-Eastern repeated 18½, Midland Great Western Ord. 36, the 4 p.c. Pref. 55, Great Southern Ord. 48½, and the Debs. 75½.

In Trams, Dublin United Pref. repeated 9½, but in Gas, Alliance and Dublin Consumers relapsed ⅛ to 7.

Parent Tyre Pref. fell 3d. further to 11s.

In Bakery Shares, Johnston Debs. fell ½ to 6 for an odd lot; and in Drapery Shares Pim Bros. 4 p.c. Debs. repeated 64.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, Vickers were good, and rose 7½d. to 13s. 7½d., and White Tomkins 9d. to 24s. 9d. British-American Tobacco fell 3d. to 106s., and Imperials fell 7½d. to 73s. buyers. Coats were quieter at 69s. 7½d., 69s. 6d., and the "B" Pref. fell 4½d. to 23s. 6d. Lever Bros. 8 p.c. Pref. eased 1½d. to 20s. 10½d. Calico Printers realised 27s. 4½d. x.d. of 2s. 6d. per share.

In Trading, etc., Burke Debs. were practically unchanged at 8¼ x.d. Maguire and Gatchell 5 p.c. Pref. were again quoted 50s., but J. C. Parkes and Sons Pref. improved 6d. to 13s. 6d. Hibernian Fire opened at a rally of 1½d. to 4s. 1½d., but later 4s. was again current.

Mexican Eagle Oil rose 3d. to 22s., and Shell Transports opened 1s. 3d. better at 67s. 6d., and after rising to 68s. 6d. closed 1s. 9d. higher on the day at 68s. 3d., 68s.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "c."

Consols ......(58¼)	58¼	M.G.W. Ord.......(36)	*36
5% War Ln.(103)	102 11/16	Do. 4% Pref......(55)	55
Funding Ln..(91½)	90 11/16	Dublin Tram Pf..(9½)	9½
Conver. Loan...(79)	78 11/16	Parent Pref...(11/3)	11/-
5½% Exch. Bonds......	102	Alliance Gas.......(7½)	7
Guar. Land.....(61⅛)	*61	Johnston Deb.......(6½)	6
3% Land Act.(66⅛)	*66½	Pim Deb..............(64)	64
Dublin Port.......(60)	58½	B.A.T. .....(106/3)	106/-
Bank of Ireland (248½)	248c	Imp. Tob.......(73/74)	73/-
		Calicos ....(28/3)	27/4½
Hibernian ....(6⅝)	6⅝	Coats..(69/7½) 69/7½	9/6
Mun. & Lein.....(6⅝)	6⅝	Do. B Pf.(23/10½)	23/6
National ......(19¾)	19⅞	Lever 8% ...(21/-)	20/10½
Royal ....(x.d.)	*13⅞	Vickers ....(13/-)	13/7½
Guinness..(37 1/16) 37 1/16	7	White Tomkins (24/-)	24/9
Do. Pref.(12½) *12 1/16	½	Burke Deb..........	*8¼ x.d.
Jameson Deb......(7½)	7½	Gatchell Pref.(50/-)	*50/-
Power Pref.....(20/-)	20/-	Hibernian Fire (4/-) 4/1½	*4/-
City Steam.......(138)	138	Parkes Pref....(13/-)	13/6
D.S.E. Ord......(18½)	18½	Mex. Eagle.....(21/9)	22/-
G.N. Ord.........(61)	*62	Shells........(66/3) 67/6	8/6
Do. Pref.........(66½)	66		*8/3 8/-
G.S.W. Ord.....(48½)	48½		
Do. Deb.........(75½)	75½		

*Odd lot; b bid, a asked.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount	5 p.c.	5th July, 1923.
Deposit	2 p.c.	5th July, 1923.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	Oct. 26	Nov. 12
General contango day	Oct. 29	Nov. 13
Ticket day	Oct. 30	Nov. 14
Account day	Oct. 31	Nov. 15

BELFAST.

There was a slight falling off in business. War Loan remained at about the same figure, transactions taking place at 102⅞, 102⅞, 102 11/16, 102 11/16. In Banks, Northern Banking "A" repeated 5½; London Joint City and Midland unchanged at 8⅜; Westminster repeated 17⅝. Local Loans were practically idle. Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c., 1942, showed no change at 75⅞. Railways showed no improvement. Great Northern Stock repeated 62; Belfast and County Down 4 p.c. Pref. fell from 75 to 74 for an odd lot. York Street Flax Spinning 5 p.c. Pref. unchanged at 10. Dunvilles advanced from 12⅞ to 13⅛. In Tobacco shares British-American Pref. were 3d. higher at 20s. 3d. and Imperial were 7½d. lower at 73s. 4½d., and 73s. for an exceptional amount. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 21s. 10½d. Shell Transport closed 23s. 6d. Tyre Investment Trust Ord. 4s. 4½d. Distillers New Pref. (10s. paid) 10s.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

B.A. AND PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.—The report for the year to June 30 last states that the result of the working of the railway, including lines worked under agreement, after conversion into sterling at the par value of the gold dollar:—Receipts £8,672,234, expenses £5,485,808, profit £3,186,426, working percentage 63.26 p.c. against 71.24 p.c. The increase in the gross receipts is £1,207,122, and in the working expenses £167,300, making a net increase of £1,039,822 in the profit.

BOMBAY, BARODA, AND CENTRAL INDIA RAILWAY.—In addition to half-year's guaranteed interest of 1½ p.c., an interim dividend of 1¼ p.c.

CALCUTTA TRAMWAYS CO.—The share transfer books of the company will be closed from the 23rd October to the 6th November, 1923, inclusive, for the purpose of splitting, as on the 23rd October, of the £5 Ord. and Pref. Shares into Ord. and Pref. Shares of £1 each. Notice will be given to shareholders when the new certificates for shares of £1 each will be ready to be exchanged. An interim dividend of 2½ per cent. will be paid to the Ord. shareholders, free of tax, on account of the profits for the year 1923.

CENTRAL ARGENTINE RAILWAY.—The report, like that of the other Argentine railways, shows a considerably improved position compared with the preceding year. Gross receipts increased by more than £1,000,000 and working expenses were reduced, with the result that the net revenue was about £1,400,000 higher. The loss resulting from the depreciation in exchange amounts to £309,002. After the dividends which have been announced are paid there will be a balance of £171,857 to be carried forward. The expense ratio has been reduced from 78.26 per cent. to 67.67, and the general manager promises further savings arising from cheaper fuel and greater economy in its use, whilst reduced outgoings are expected to follow the completion of certain reorganisation schemes. Agricultural prospects are considered good, giving promise of a repetition of last year's abundant crop, so that altogether the outlook is viewed cheerfully.

COLTNESS IRON.—Dividend on Ord. shares of 5 p.c. for year.

IBBOTSON BROS.—Balance sheet shows that, including £67,936 brought in, there is £68,060 at credit of profit and loss, subject to tax and other liabilities. No dividend is recommended, as business done was insufficient to be profitable and prospects are not encouraging.

ILFRACOMBE HOTEL CO.—Dividend of 5½ per cent., less tax.

INDUSTRIAL AND GENERAL TRUST.—Following interim dividends for the half-year to 30th September, 1923:—On the Cum. Pref. Stock at rate of 4½ per cent. per annum, on the Ord. Stock at rate of 3 per cent. per annum, on the £1 Shares 2½d. per share, all less tax.

JOSEPH LUCAS, LTD.—Dividend and bonus declared, bringing distribution for year up to 20 p.c.

KAYSER ELLISON.—Net profit for year ended 30th June, 1923, was £5,853, which reduces debit balance to £33,787. Directors propose to transfer from reserve £33,787 to wipe out loss. They also propose to transfer £3,000 from reserve, and to pay six months Pref. Share dividend to 30th June, 1922. Reserve will then stand at £4,791. Directors state that stocks have been very carefully taken at cost or market value.

LEWA RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent., free of tax, on the Part. Pref. Shares.

NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.—Interim dividend for the half-year ended 30th September, 1923, at rate of 10 per cent. per annum on both the fully-paid and Ord. Shares.

PICCADILLY HOTEL.—The available profit is £54,761, and from this sum must be deducted interest on Debentures, administration, and sinking fund charges amounting to £37,105. It is proposed to utilise the available balance by transferring £17,000 to general reserve.

PREMIER DIAMOND MINING CO.—Holders of Pref. Shares are notified that the thirty-eighth dividend of 125 per cent., or 6/3 per share, less tax, for the half-year ending 31st October, 1923, will be payable on 31st October, 1923.

QUEENSLAND NATIONAL BANK.—Interim dividend for the quarter ending 30th September, 1923, at rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

RICHARDSONS, WESTGARTH, AND CO.—Dividend on the Ordinary shares at rate of 6 p.c. per annum. The company has made an offer to the Debenture holders to purchase at par the whole or part of the £350,000 4½ p.c. Deb. stock of the company.

SIAMESE TIN SYNDICATE.—Final dividend of 5 p.c.

RALTAL RAILWAY CO.—Balance dividend of 6/- per share, making 9/- per share, or 9 per cent., for the year to 30th June, 1923.

TECKA ARGENTINA LAND CO.—Dividend of 8 per cent., less tax.

UNITED RAILWAYS OF THE HAVANA AND REGLA WAREHOUSES, LTD.—The report states that the working of the railways for the year resulted as follows:—Receipts £3,765,534, expenses £2,463,264, balance £1,302,270, against £1,163,993 for the preceding year. The ratio of expenses to receipts was 65.42 per cent., against 70.11 per cent. Dividend of 4 p.c., less tax, on Ordinary stock and shares, leaving £217,060 to be carried forward.

VAL DE TRAVERS ASPHALTE.—Interim dividend of 6d. per share, less tax, on Shares Nos. 1 to 196,000, inclusive, for the half-year ended 30th June, 1923, being at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

LONDON STOCKS IRREGULAR.

EXCHANGE INFLUENCES.

The Stock Markets were quiet and somewhat irregular yesterday, the weakness of the foreign exchanges adversely affecting investment issues, and the operations of pay day exercising an adverse influence on the volume of business. There was, however, in Oils and Mines quite a little revival of business, and quotations showed a tendency to rise. The close was poor and idle in most departments. In the gilt-edged market British Funds rather weakened, but the only changes were a fall of ⅛ to 78⅞ in Conversion Loan and a rise of ⅛ to 104⅛ in Treasury Bonds.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were dull and inclined to droop. French Loans showed an easier tendency, the Fives falling ⅛ to 27½. The Fours closed unchanged. Mexican Fives recovered a point to 56½, while Brazil Fours of 1889 fell 1 to 40.

HOME RAILS experienced a complete lack of interest, the market becoming dull in sympathy with the investment market. The outstanding feature was the firmness of Districts at 56, a gain of a point. Metropolitans also rose ½ to 79. Underground Electric fell ⅛ to 3⅛.

In COLONIAL and FOREIGN RAILWAYS "Canpacs" lost a point at 158. In Argentines B.A.G.S. rose ¼ to 84½ and Westerns ½ to 77. San Paulo Ord. fell 1 to 141½. Americans were very quiet.

OIL SHARES FIRM.

THE RECOVERY CONTINUES.

Firmness continued to be displayed by Oil shares yesterday, and the recovery which set in a few days ago made further headway, some good features being provided, and the market closing with an all round appearance of strength. One reason for yesterday's firmness is to be found in the American production figures for the week ended October 6. The strength of the leaders became particularly pronounced in the late dealings, and for the first time for several weeks the "street" market was an interesting one. Shells were among the best spots, a good demand existing for the shares to which the price made a ready response, an appreciable gain being finally recorded. Royal Dutch also met with more support than of late, and moved up smartly. The recovery in Anglo-Persians was continued, sympathetic gains being marked in the two pref. issues, debs., and in Burmahs. A fair business was put through in Mexican Eagles, which also moved up. A strong feature in other directions was provided by V.O.C. Holdings, which continued in keen demand, and further advanced. Among Rumanians, Phœnix came into renewed demand and recovered, but Steaua Romana (British) left off easier. Business in Trinidad issues was small, price movements being generally unimportant. Trinidad Centrals were unaffected by the announcement of the production figures for the three months to September 30. Lobitos and Anglo-Ecuadorians hardened, and a partial recovery occurred in the Agwi issues. Closing prices—

M.U. Oct. 16.			
¾	Agwi Petroleum	⅝	¾ + 1/16
3⅛	Anglo-American	3⅛	3⅛ + 1/16
1⅞	Anglo-Ecuadorian	1⅞	1⅞ + 1/16
1	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1	1 1/16 + 1/16
22 11/16	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	22 11/16	22 7/16 + 0/4½
22/3	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	22/6	23/0 + 0/6
2⅝	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	2⅝	2⅝ + 1/16
88	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	90	92 + 1
2⅝	Apex Trinidad	2¾	2⅞
—	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	[illegible]	[illegible]
6/3	British Burmah (8/-)	5 9	6/0
6/7½	British Controlled	6/3	6/6
7/1½	Do. Pref.	6/10½	7/1½ + 0/1½
4⅞	Burmah	[illegible]	4⅞ + 1/16
25/6	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	25/3	25/9
2/1½	Caltex	2/0	2/3
—	Dacia Romano	[illegible]	[illegible]
5⅛	Eagle Transport	[illegible]	5⅛
101	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	100¾	101¾
102	Do. Bearer	101½	102½
4/6	General Pet. Trinidad A.	4/0	4/6 + 0/1½
—	Indo Burmah	0/3	0/9
15/1½	Kern River (10/-)	14/6	15/3 + 0/3
—	Lobitos	6⅝	6¾ + 1/16
20/10½	Mexican Eagle	21/9	22/3 + 0/3
20/1½	Do. Pref.	21/6	22/0 + 0/3
14/7½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	14/9	15/3 + 0/1½
⅝	North Caucasian (10/-)	[illegible]	[illegible]
—	Oilfields Egypt	1/0	1/6
3/9	Peru Syndicate	2/0	2/6
⅜	Phœnix	[illegible]	[illegible] + 1/16
2/3	Premier Oil	2/0	2/6
—	Rumanian Consolidated	11/9	12/3
29⅝	Royal Dutch	29¾	30⅛ + ⅜
10⅜	Scottish American	0/9	1/0
3⅞	Shell Transport	[illegible]	3 11/16 + ⅛
9⅝	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅞	[illegible]
22/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	22/4½	23/10½ + 0/4½
3/9	Spies (10/-)	3/6	4/0
7/6	Steaua Romana	6/6	7/0 − 0/1½
5-6	Tankers Pref.	5/3	5/9
—	Trinidad Central	[illegible]	[illegible]
1⅜	Trinidad Lease	1⅛	1⅜ − 1/16
7/6	United Brit. Trinidad	6/10½	7/4½ + 0/1½
⅛	Ural Caspian	[illegible]	[illegible]
4/0	Uroz Oil	4/6	5/0 + 0/6
1⅝	V.O.C. Holdings	1⅝	1 13/16 + ⅛
1⅝	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	1 7/16	1½ + ⅛

RUBBER SHARES INACTIVE, BUT BETTER.

The Rubber share market was very quiet yesterday, but there was a better tendency, and prices recovered here and there. Anglo-Malay rose 2s. 3d. to 22s. 3d., Highlands 1s. 3d. to 36s. 3d., and Sempah 1s. 10½d. to 21s. 9d. Golden Hope fell 4s. 7½d. to 20s., and Tremelbye 1s. 10½d. to 15s. The price of rubber rose to 14d. per lb. Closing prices—

M.U. Oct. 16.			
37/0	Anglo-Dutch	36/9	
2/7½	Anglo-Java	2/7	
22/6	Anglo-Malay	22/3	+2/3
4/9	Bertam Cons.	4/4½	
3/3	Bukit Mertajam	3/1	
1/0	Bukit Sembawang	1/10	
16/6	Damansara	14/6	
27/0	Grand Central	20/6	
1⅜	Highlands	18/3	+1/3
2/10½	Kamuning	2/4½	−0/4½
5/0	Kepong	4/10½	
1⅛	Kuala Lumpur	36/7½	
1⅛	Labu	23/0	
1⅜	Linggi	32/6	
3/9	London-Asiatic	2/7½	
1⅛	Malacca	28/10½	
30/0	Malayalam	29/9	+0/3¾
2/10½	Merlimau	2/9	
1⅛	Mooply Valley	21/0	
2/4½	Port Dickson	2/4½	
27/0	Rubber Trust	27/3	+0/1½
13/7½	Seafield	16/3	
1⅛	Senadyan	33/0	
1⅜	Sialang	22/6	−0/6
20/0	Straits Rubber	20/0	−0/4½
21/6	Tali Ayer	21/3	
1⅜	Tandjong	22/6	
3/4	Un. Serdang	3/3	
3⅜	United Sua Betong	65/0	
11/0	Vallambrosa	11/6	−0/6

Anglo-Sum	41/6	N. Hummock	20/3
Bah Lias	32/6	P.P.K.(C'yl'n)	20/0 +0/3
Batu Tiga	35/0	Pataling	20/4½ −0/1½
B.N.B.R.Trst	12/3	Pilmoor	20/0
Brieh	1/8½ −0/1	Rim Malacca	3/0
Bukit Cloh	4/3	Rub.E.Johore	23/3
Bukit Rajah	24/0	Sapong	30/7½
Castlefield	3/1½	Sapumalk'de.	22/6
Cheviot	2/10½	Selangor	4/9
Cicely	3/4½	SerdangC'nt'l	27/0
Eastern Trust	16/3*	Soember Ajoe.	2/0
Gen.Ceylon	38/9	Strathmore	13/1½
Glenbervie	25/10½	Sumatra Con.	25/0
Golden Hope	20/0 −4/7½	Sungei Buaya.	31/3‡
Java Amal.	25/0	Sungei Choh	18/9
Kapar Para	38/0	Sungei Kapar	4/6
Kasintoe	20/0	Sungei Kr. Pf.	18/1½
Kepitigalla	8/0	Taiping	1/6
Kombok	2/1½* −0/3	Tebrau	28/9
Langkat Sum	30/0	Telogoredjo	41/3‡
Ledbury	28/9	Tempeh	1/1
Manch'ter N B.	2/3	Un.Temiang	2/9
Membakut	10/0	Yam Seng	1/0

*Ex Div. † Ex Rights. ‡ Cum div.

TEA SHARES.

Market fairly active, with mixed price changes—Amalgamated Ord., £18 15/6+15/6; Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 51/6-4½d.; Assam, £16-2½; British Indian, £20½-1; Chargola, 54/--3d. Chubwa, £30¼+½; Dooars, 68/-+3d.; Doom Dooma, £35 12/6+2/6; E. Assam, £28¾+½; E. I. and Ceylon, 44/1½-4½d.; East Produce, 60/9-3d.; Empire, 62/1½+7½d.; Imperial Ord., 37/-+6d.; Jorehaut, 69/-+3d.; Nedeem, 58/6-1/-; Singlo Ord., 62/9-9d.

Business done—Assam, 11; Bengal United, 24⅛, 1/16, 5⅛, 5; British Indian, 21⅛, 20⅛; Chubwa, 30⅛; Cons. Tea and Lands, 36 11/16, ½, ½; Doom Dooma, 35⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Eastern Assam, 28⅛, ⅛; Jokai, 45; Lungla, 30/6; Nedeem, 58/3, 6d.; Singlo, 62/6, 9d.

TRAFFICS.

Central Argentine Railway—Week to Oct. 13, £211,000; increase £35,000. Egyptian Markets—Week to Oct. 11, £1,875; increase £62. Mexican Railway—Week to Oct. 14, $243,300; decrease $46,300. Canadian Pacific Railway—Week to Oct. 14, $5,193,000; increase $46,000. Havana Central Railroad—Week to Oct. 13, $11,947; increase $2,325. South Indian—Week to September 22, Rs.911,981; increase Rs.13,226. Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway—Week to October 13, Rs.2,113,000; increase Rs.296,000. Paraguay Central Railway—Week to October 13, £3,970; increase £240.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	58-59	3½% Conv.Ln.	78¼-79 − ⅛
War Ln.3½%	95⅛-96¼	Irish Land 2¾%	60-62
do. 4½%	99-100	India 3%	55½-56½
do. 5%	102⅝-103⅛	do. 3½%	68-70
do. 4% (Tax free)	101½-101¾	do. 5½%	102-104
Fund'g L'n.	90¼-91¼	do. 7%	117-119
Victory Bds.	92-93	Local Loans	57½-58½*
		Sudan 5½ p.c.	107-109*

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1943	90-92*	Nigeria 6%	114-116
Aust.Com.5½%	102-104	Q'sland 4,1940-50	84-6
do. 6%	104-106	do. 4½ 1920-5	96-101
Brit.Col 4½ 1941	91-93*	do. 6% 1930-40	104-6
Canada 4%	88-90	S. Africa 4% Cns	86-91
do. 4½ 1920-5	101-102	do. 6%	104-106*
Cape 3½ Cons.	80-82	S.A'str'n4,'40-60	87-89
Ceylon 6%	108-10	do. 5½%	99-101*
Natal 3½ '34	80-82	do. 6%	107-9
N.S.W.4½1922-7	97-99	Victoria 4,1940-60	87-89
do. 5½1922-7	101-102	do. 4½ 1923-5	100-2*
do. 5½% 1922-32	99-101*	W.Aust'n4% 42-62	86-88
do. 6½% 1930-40	107-9	do.5½% 1930-40	102-104
N.Zeal'd 4, '29	94-96*		

AMERICAN RAILS.

M.U. Oct. 16.				
—	Atchison	105	107	
—	Baltimore	60	62*	
—	Chesapeake	71	73	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	15	17	−1
13¼	Erie	14¼	15¼	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	23	25	
—	New York, Ontario	17	19	
36¼	Southern Common	35	37	
—	Do. Pref.	72	74*	
—	Southern Pacific	94	96	
—	Union Pacific	140	142	

BRITISH RAILS.

112	Great Western	111	112	
107	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	106	107	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	82	84	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	97	100	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	99	101	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	81	83	
87¼	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	86½	87¼	
33¾	Do. Def. Ord.	33	33½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	82	84	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	81	83	
77¾	Metropolitan	78¼	79¼	+ ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	100	103	
54¾	Do. District	55¼	56¼	+1
87¾	Southern Pref. Ord.	87	88	
41	Do. Def. Ord.	40	41	
37¼	Do. "A"	36¼	37¼	
13	Do. "B"	12¼	13½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	102	104	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pf.1924	97	100*	
3¼	Underground Electric	3¼	3½	− ⅛
100¼	Do. Income Bonds	100	102	
103	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	104	106*	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

80	Antofagasta	86	88*	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	77	79	
—	Bahia Blanca	79½	81½	
—	Brazil Railway Common.	½	1⅛	
83	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	83½	85½	+ ¼
77¼	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	77	79	
78	Buenos Ayres and W.	76	78	+ ½
158¼	Canadian Pacific	157	159	−1
69	Central Argentine	68½	70½	
45¼	Central Uruguay	45	47	
—	Entre Rios	16	18	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	63	65	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	81	83	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Deb.	26	29	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	80	82*	
21¼	Leopoldina	21	23	
10¾	Mexican Rails	10½	11¼	
31½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	31	33	
19	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	18	20	
—	Mexican Nat 1st Pref.	6	7	
2¾	Mexican Nat. 2nd Pref.	2½	3	
142	San Paulo Ord.	139	141	−1
75	United Havana	74	76	

FOREIGN BONDS.

99	Argentine, 1886	98	100	
74¾	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	74	76	
88¼	Do. 5 p.c. 1909	89	91	
40¾	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	39	41	−1
81½	Do. Funding, 1908	81	83*	
70½	Do. 5 p.c. 1914	70	72	
91¾	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	91	93*	
79¾	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	79	81	
—	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	65	67*	
94¾	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	94	96*	
—	Egyptian Unified	74	76	
28	French Loan	27	29	− ⅛
22	Do. 4 p.c.	22	24	
13/6	German 3 p.c.	⅝	⅞*	
20¼	Italian Rentes	20	22	
103⅛	Japanese 4½ p.c. 1st	101	103	
87½	Do. 4 p.c., 1905	85	87	
84¼	Do. New 5 p.c. 1907	83	85	
57	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	53	58	+1
67	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	64	67	
3¼	Peruvian Corporation	3⅛	3⅜	
28¾	Do. Pref.	28	29	
93¾	Do. Deb.	93½	94½*	
31	Portuguese 3 p.c.	30	32	
107	San Paulo 8 p.c.	106	108	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	63	65*	
53½	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	53	54	

BANKS.

—	Agricultural of Egypt	6⅛	6⅞
—	Anglo-South American	7	7½
—	Australasia	13	13½
—	Bank New South Wales	38½	39½
—	Bank of New Zealand	2 3/16	2 5/16
—	Barclays "A"	1⅛	[illegible]
—	British of Foreign Trade	[illegible]	[illegible]
—	British Overseas	5	5¼
—	Canadian of Commerce	40	41
—	Chartered of India	19	19½
—	Hong Kong	122½	124½
—	Lloyds	[illegible]	[illegible]
—	London and Brazilian	15½	16¾*
—	London City Midland	[illegible]	[illegible]
—	National Discount "B"	7⅝	8¼
—	National Prov. (£4 p.)	11½	11¾
—	Royal Bank of Canada	46	47*
—	Standard South Africa	11	11¼
—	Union of Australia	14¼	15
—	Westminster Bank	17⅛	17⅝

TELEGRAPHS.

23¼	Anglo-American Def.	22¾	23¾
2 1/16	Marconi Wireless Ord.	2⅛	2⅜
2	Do. Pref.	1⅞	2 1/16
—	Do. Debs.	104	106
1⅝	Do. Marine	1⅝	[illegible]
7/6	Do. Canada	7/1½	7/7½ −0/1½
—	Oriental Telephone	1⅝	[illegible]
13/0	Radio Corporation	12/0	13/0
15/0	Do. Pref.	15/0	15/6 +0/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Aboukir Land	⅝	1	
25/3	Aerated Bread	1¼	1½	
30/9	African and East. Trade	30/0	32/0	
25	Alianza	24½	25½	
8/0	Allsopp £1 Shares	⅜	½	
63¼	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	62	65	
8/3	Amalgamated Cotton	7/9	8/6	
2¼	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	2⅛	2 7/16	
61/3	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	3	3⅛	+ 1/16
8/9	Argentine Northern Land	⅜	½	
21/0	Do. Southern Land	1	1¼	
16/6	Armstrong (W. G.)	16/9	17/9	+0/3
24/6	Associated Cement	25/0	26/0	+0/6
18/3	Do. Pref.	17/6	18/6	
7¾	Assd. Newspapers Def.	7⅜	7⅝*†	
—	Bartholomay Pref.	⅜	1	
92	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	91	94	
27/0	Do. Ord.	1⅜	1⅜*	
47/0	Bleachers	2⅜	2⅝	
39/3	Borax Con. Def.	1⅞	2	
29/9	Bovril Def.	1⅝	1⅝	
47¼	Brazilian Traction	46	48	
28/0	British Portland Cement	1⅜	1⅜	+ 1/32
8/9	B.S.A.	8/6	9/6	
11/0	British Cellulose Ord.	9/6	10/0	−0/9
26/3	British Oil and Cake	[illegible]	1 11/16	
12/0	B.N.B. Land	[illegible]	[illegible]	
85	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	83½	85½	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	87	90*	
39/0	Brunner Mond	38/6	40/6	
47/6	Bryant and May	2⅜	2 7/16*	− 1/32
56/0	Bradford Dyers	2⅝	2⅞	
106/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	105/0	107/0	
—	British Glass	1/0	1/3	−0/0¾
27/3	Calico Printers	1⅜	1⅜*†	
14/0	Cammell Laird	⅝	¾	
15/6	Cargo Fleet	⅝	⅞	
69/3	Coats	3⅜	3½	
61/3	Courtaulds	3	3⅛	
—	Court Line	31/3	32/3	−0/6
2/9	Crosse and Blackwell	2/6	3/6	+0/3
—	Cunard Ord.	⅞	1	
—	De La Rue Deb.	31	33	−4
7/6	Dunlop Rubber	7/3	8/0	
106	Do. Deb.	105	110	
—	Do. Amer. Tire Deb.	100¾	101¾	
15/0	Dorman Long	15/0	16/0	
—	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	19/6	20/6	
16/3	English Electric	16/6	18/0	
—	English Sewing Cotton	2⅜	2½	+ 1/16
47/9	Fine Spinners	2⅜	2⅞	
21/6	Forestal Land	1	1⅛	
—	Furness Withy	1⅛	1⅜	
19/0	General Electric Ord.	18/0	19/6	
—	Do. Debs.	104	106	
360	Guinness	360	380*†	
—	Do. Pref.	117	122*	
—	Gramophone Ord.	1¾	1⅞	
—	Harrods	1⅝	1⅞	
—	Hoyle Deb.	103	105	
5⅛	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5⅜	6	
74/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	72/9	74/0	−0/6
18/0	John Brown	17/0	19/0	
12/0	Do. (15/- paid)	⅝	¾	
7¾	Lautaro Nitrate	7⅜	8⅜	+ ⅛
21/10½	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	21/6	22/0	
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	106½	106½*	
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	98	100	
29/0	Lipton	1 1/16	1⅛	
4⅛	Lyons (J.)	4⅜	5	
30/0	Lagunas Nitrate	30/0	31/0	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1⅛	1⅜	
25/9	Lister Ord.	1⅛	1⅜	
4⅛	Liverpool Nitrate	3⅞	3⅞	+ 1/16
53/6	London Nitrate	52/6	55/0	+0/6
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	27/7½	28/7½	
6/4½	Maypole Def.	6/9	7/0	
—	Mond Nickel Pref.	1⅜	1⅝	+ 1/16
29	Mexican Trams	27	30	
78	Do. Bonds	77	80	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	66	69	
15/0	Niger Pref.	14/0	15/0	−0/3
20/3	Nobel Ord.	19/6	20/6	
20/3	Do. Pref.	19/6	20/6	
—	Do. Def.	7/6	8/6	
1⅜	Parent Tyre Def.	1⅝	1¾	
1⅜	Do. Ord.	½	¾	
27/0	Pease and Partners	26/6	28/6	
—	P. and O. Def.	300	310	
6/9	Pekin Syndicate	½	¾	
—	Peter Walker Ord.	16/0	18/0	
38/9	Platt Bros. Ord.	35/0	36/9	−0/3
—	Royal Mail Ord.	88	93	
23/0	Rio Negro Lands	1⅛	1⅜*	
—	Rolls Royce	1	1⅛	
24/0	Rosario Nitrate	33/0	35/0	
20/6	Salt Union	⅝	¾	
61/3	South Durham Steel	3	3⅛	
84	San Paulo Tram Deb.	83	86	
—	South African Breweries	1⅜	1½	
128½	Shawinigan Water Debs.	107	112	
42/0	Santa Rita Nitrate	[illegible]	42/0	+0/0
1⅜	Santiago Nitrate	2⅝	3	
67/0	Salar del Carmen	66 0	68.0	
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1⅜*	
13/9	Siemens	[illegible]	[illegible]	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	[illegible]	[illegible]	
1⅜	Spratt's Patent	1⅜	1½	
—	Tilling Ord.	⅝	1	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4⅛	4⅜	
15/9	Tarapaca Nitrate	16/6	17/0	+0/6
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	1⅜	1½*	
—	United Alkali	[illegible]	[illegible]	
8/7½	United Steel	9/3	10/3	+0/3
13/9	Vickers Ord.	13/3	14/3	
1⅜	Van Den Berghs	1⅜	1⅜	
—	Do. Pref.	4⅝	5⅛*	
—	Walker (John) Pref.	20/0	21/0	
17/9	Wallpaper Def.	1⅜	1⅜	
—	Weardale Iron C.P.O.	[illegible]	[illegible]	

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LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

GOOD SPRINGS DEVELOPMENTS.

In the Mining market Kaffirs continued to show a firm front. The leading counters were mostly content to maintain former levels, but there was further buying of Geduld, Modder Deep, "Johnnies," T.C.L., and West Springs shares and options. With regard to recent developments on the Springs Mines, it is understood that these continue to give excellent results, especially in the North-West Springs ground. A large shute of ore has been opened up, and would appear to continue into an area of the Springs Mines hitherto unexplored. Some remarkable assay values have been encountered, and one stretch is said to average 94 dwt. over 15in., or 1,410 inch dwt., while other developments have given between 23 dwt. and 27 dwt. over greater widths. Robinson Deep "B" were again a good market and further appreciated, and Knights came into request and went ahead. Paris and the Capes were doing very little, though the latter centre sent over some support for a few favourites as against small sales from the former. At one time the French capital bought Chartered, but turned a seller later, and the price receded. Cam and Motor were unchanged, but there were rather more sellers than buyers of Rezende, Lonely, and Selukwe, all of which finished lower. Diamonds were not much in evidence and Jagersfontein lost the turn, but Premier Pref. were better on the dividend announcement. Although the price of tin was again higher at £204 2s. 6d. per ton, the share market was far more active. The few movements recorded, however, were upward. One or two West Africans strengthened, but Australians were idle. Rio Tinto were a better market and jumped up smartly. British Platinum hardened and Keeley came into request and moved up. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Oct. 15.		
1⅜	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅜-1½
17/0	Anglo-French	16/3-16/9
3⅞	Brakpan	3½-3⅝
9⅞	Cent. Mining (£8)	9⅝-10
2⅛	City Deep	2⅞-3
⅝	Con. Goldfields	[illegible]
16/6	Cons. Main Reef	9/6-9/9
14/6	Cons. Selec. (10/-)	14/3-15/3
2⅛	Crown Mines (10/-)	2⅞-2⅞
2/3	E. Rand Mining	7/9-8/3
6/6	E. Rand Prop.	6-6/9
3⅛	Geduld	3⅝-3¾ + 1/16
12/3	Gen. Mining	12-3-12/9
6	Government Areas	6⅛-6⅜
11/0	H.E. Prop.	10/9-11/3
30/6	Johan'burg Invest	30/9-31/3 + 0/3
8/3	Kleinfontein	4/6-5/0
6/3	Knight Central	5-9-6/3
15/3	Knight's	16/0-17/0 + 1/0
23/9	Langlaagte Estate	24/3-24/9
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-3⅜
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/-)	4⅛-4¼
4⅛	Modder B (5/-)	4⅛-4¼
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/-)	2⅜-2½ + 1/16
6/9	Modder East	6/9-7/3
1⅛	New State Areas	1⅛-1⅜
6/6	Nigel	6/0-7/0
14/9	Nourse Mines	14/9-15/3
2⅛	Rand Mines (5/-)	2⅛-2⅜
20/6	Randfontein	21/0-21/6
13/3	do. Central	13/3-13/9
1⅜	Rob'son Dp. A (1/-)	1⅜-1½
18/0	Robinson Dp. B	18/9-19/3 + 0/6
11/0	Rose Deep	11/6-12/0
1⅛	S.A. Gold Trust	13/9-14/3
2⅛	Springs Mines	2 11/16-2¾
11/6	Sub Nigel	11/-11/9
2⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	2⅜-2⅝
17/0	Trans.Con.L. (15/-)	17/6-18/6 + 0/6
30/9	Union Corp. (12/6)	30/9-31/3
15/6	Van Ryn	15/6-16/0
3½	Van Ryn Deep	3 11/32-3 13/32 − 1/32
18/3	Vereeniging	18/0-18/6
12/9	Village Deep	12/6-13/0
1⅛	West Springs	22/9-23/3 + 0/3
⅛	WitersrandDeep	15/9-16/3

RUSSIAN.

7/9	RussoAsiat.Cons	7/9-8/3
1/16	Russian Mining	⅛-¼
1/16	Siberian Props.	6/0-7/0
½	Spassky	⅜-½

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Oct. 15.		
7/0	Bechuanaland Ex.	6/9-7/3
2⅛	Cam and Motor	2¼-2⅜
13/4½	Chart'd B.S.A.	13/7½-13/10½ − 1½
4/6	Falcon	4/0-4/6
16/6	Gaika Gold	16/3-16/9
14/6	Globe & Phoenix(5/)	14/3-14/9
7/4½	Gold F. Rho. (10/-)	7/0-7/6
1⅛	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1¼ − 1/16
2⅛	Rezende	2⅛-2 5/16 − 1/16
2⅛	R. Broken Hill (5/-)	4/10½-5/4½
1⅛	Selukwe	1 3/16-1 5/16 − 1/32
1⅛	Shamva Mines	1⅜-1½
17/3	Tanganyika	17/0-17/6
20/3	Vic. Falls Ord.	20/0-21/0
26/3	do. Pref.	25/0-26/0
⅛	Wankie Col. (10/-)	⅝-1
11/0	Zambesia Explor.	10/3-10/9
—	Zambesia Min. D.	¼-⅜

DIAMOND.

3⅛	Con. D. S. W. A.	18/9-19/9
12 1/16	De Beers Def.	12 5/16-12 7/16
11 1/16	do. Pref.	11 5/16-11 7/16
1/16	Jagersfontein	3-3 5/16 − 1/16
7/6	N. Val River	⅜-⅝
7	Premier Pf.(5/-)	7-7¼ + ⅛

AUSTRALIAN.

1¼	Amal. Zinc	1-1¼
13/6	Associated	13/0-13/6
1⅜	Brit. Australian	1 1/16-1 3/16
1⅝	Broken Hill Prop.	1 11/16-1 13/16 − 1/16
2¾	B. Hill Sth. (New)	2⅞-2 15/16
⅛	B. Hill, Block 10	⅜-½
2/9	Great Boulder (2/-)	2/6-3/0
1/16	Ivanhoe	[illegible]
15/0	Lake View (10/-)	15/6-16/6
2⅜	North Broken Hill	2¾-2⅞
15/0	Sulphide Ord.	14/9-15/9
11/0	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	10/9-11/9
2⅜	do. Pref.	2-2⅜

WEST AFRICAN.

¾	Akim	[illegible]
7/3	Ashanti Gold (4/-)	7/0-7/6 + 0/3
10/1½	Fanti Cons.(8/-)	9/9-10/3
16/0	Gold Coast Amal.	15/6-16/0
9/4½	Obuassi	8/3-9/3 + 0/3
4/3	Taquah Explor.	4/0-4/6

TIN.

M.U. Oct. 15.		
14/3	Anglo-Con.(10/-)	14/0-14/6
6/3	Aramayo Francke	3⅜-3⅞
6/3	East Pool (5/-)	6/0-7/3 + 0/3
1⅜	Gopeng	1⅜-1⅝
16/3	Ipoh	15/6-16/0
1⅛	Kinta	35/6-36/6
1⅛	Kramat Pulai	1 3/16-1 5/16
1⅛	Malayan T.D.	1⅜-1½
12/9	Mongu	11/9-12/3
⅛	Naraguta	[illegible]
2/0	Nigerian Tin (5/-)	1/9-2/3
7/6	Pahang (5/-)	8/0-9/0
18/0	Rambutan	⅞-1
½	Renong	1-1¼
10/3	Ropp (4/-Shares)	10/1½-10/7½ + 1½
2 1/16	Siamese	2 1/16-2 5/16
5/3	South Bukeru	4/6-5/6
1½	Tronoh	1⅜-1⅝

COPPER.

10/0	Arizona (5/-)	1⅛-1⅜
—	Mount Elliott (£5)	¼-⅜
11/0	Mount Morgan	11/0-12/0
23/9	Mount Lyell	22/9-23/9
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅜-1⅝
11/0	New Guinea	10/0-11/0 + 0/6
31¾	Rio Tinto (£5)	32⅛-32⅜ + ⅜
13/3	S. American (2/-)	12/0-13/0 − 0/6

MISCELLANEOUS.

14/0	Brit. Platinum	14/0-15/0 + 0/3
7/6	Burma Corp.	7/3-7/9
6/3	Camp Bird Ord.	3/3-3/9
2/6	Chemical and Met.	2/0-3/0
6/0	Colombian Mining	5/9-6/3
—	Colombian Props	19/6-20/6
7/9	El Oro	7/9-8/3
3/1½	Esperanza (9 0 pd)	[illegible]
11/3	Kirkland Lake	11/9-12/3
4⅞	Mexico Mines	4¾-5⅛
5⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	5⅛-6
13/3	Min.Corp.of Can	12/9-13/3
10/0	Mysore (10/-)	9/6-10/6
2/6	Nat.Min.(10/-pd.)	2/0-3/0
20/0	New Chuquitambo	⅞-1⅛
11/6	Ooregum	[illegible]
10/9	Oroville	16/6-17/6
9/6	Plymouth Cons	⅛-¼
18/3	St.JohnDel Rey	18/0-19/0
26/6	San Francisco(10/-)	26/0-28/6
9/6	Santa Gertrudis	8/6-9/0 − 0/3
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅜

*Ex. Dividend. †Ex. Rights.

BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—25/7½, 3d., 9d., 3½d., 11½d., 6/0½, 3d., 6/3½. **Brakpan**—71/-, 70/7½, 1/6½, 70/7½. **Chartered**—13/11½, 9d., *12/9, 13/7½. **Central Mining**—*9⅞, 11/16, ⅞. **City Deep**—*58/1½, 60/-. **Colombian Mining**—6/-, 5/9½, 10½d. **Cons. Dmd. Mines S.W. Africa**—19/-, 1½d. **Consol. Gold Fields**—19/4½, *3d. **Consol. Main Reef**—9/0½, 1½d. **Consol. Mines Selection**—14/11½, 7½d. **Crown Mines**—57/9½, 6d. **Durban Rood. Deep**—16/6, 7½d., *6d. **East Rand Prop.**—6/6, 7½d., *5/9, 6/4½. **Esperanza**—3/-, 1½d. **Fanti Consols**—9/9, *3d. **Geduld**—62/10½, 1/6, 3/9, 5½d., 1½d., 9d. **General Mining**—12/1½, *11/9. **Government Areas**—6½, 6, 1/16, 3/32, 3/32, 1/16. **Johannesburg Invest.**—30/7½, 9d., 10½d., *30/-, *4½d., 1/1½. **Langlaagte**—24/1½, 4½d., *3/9, 4/9, 6d. **Modderfontein "B" (5/- Shares)**—24/0½, 3/6, *4/-, *1½d., 3/9. **Modderfontein Deep (5/- Shares)**—*41/6½, 2/6, 3/-, 1½d., 2/2½. **Modderfontein East**—7/2½, 6/9½, *6d., 7/2½. **Mount Lyell**—23/-. **New Kleinfontein**—4/6. **New Modderfontein**—84/0½, *3/1½, 5/-. **New State Areas**—34/6, 8½d., *3/-, 4/-. **Nourse**—14/8½. **Rand Mines**—57/6, 2½d., 6/10½, 6½d., 3d. **Randfontein Central**—13/6, 4½d., *12/3, 13/7½. **Randfontein Estates**—21/-, 6d., *20/6, 1/4½, *20/9. **Robinson Deep "A"**—35/-. **Robinson Deep "B"**—18/7½, 19/1½, 18/10½, 6d., 19/3, 4½d., 2½d. **Rose Deep**—*11/6. **Russo-Asiatic**—8/-, 3d., 1½d., 0½d., 0½d. **Selukwe Gold**—15/-, 14/8½, 15/3, 14/6, 4½d. **Springs**—55/3½, 4/4½, 9d., *3/1½, 4/4½. **Tanganyika**—*26/1½, 27/-. **Union Corporation**—31/3, *30/10½, 1/3, *30/9. **Van Ryn**—*15/7½, *16/6. **Van Ryn Deep**—*66/10½. **Zinc Corp.**—11/6.

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DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—58⅛, ⅛, 3/16, ⅛, ⅛, 7/16, ⅛. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—95⅞, ½, 6, ⅛. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—99⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ½, ⅞, ⅞, ½. **5 p.c. War Loan**—102 11/16, ¾, 11/16, ⅞, 11/16, 11/16, *3, 2 11/16, 11/16. **4 p.c. War Loan**—101⅞, ⅞, ⅞, ⅞. **Funding Loan**—90⅞, 11/16, 1, 90⅞, 7/16, 1, 90⅞, 11/16, ⅞. **Victory Bonds**—92⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7/16, 11/16, ⅛, 7/16. **Conversion Loan**—78⅞, ⅞, 11/16, 11/16, 11/16, 11/16. **India 7 p.c. Loan**—118, 17⅞, 18. **India 4½ p.c.** (x.d.)—89⅛, ⅛, 7/16, ⅛, 9, 3/16, 1/16, 7/16, 1/16. **Australia 6 p.c. Stock**—104⅛, ⅛; **do. 5 p.c. Stock**—101⅛, 1, 3/16, ⅛. **South Africa 6 p.c.**—104⅞, 5⅛. **Aerated Bread**—25/6, 4½d., 7½d., 6d. **African and Eastern**—30/-, 6d., 9d., 7½d. **Agwi Petroleum**—14/4½, 13/-, 3d., 14/4½, 13/9. **Amalgamated Cotton**—8/4½, 3d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—36/3, 4½d., 6d., 1½d. **Anglo-Ecuadorian Oil**—39/0½, 4½d., *8/-, 1½d. **Anglo-Egyptian "B"**—20/-, 3d. **Anglo-Persian Oil**—49/-, 8/9, 7/6, *9½d., 6/3, 50/-, 47/9, 8/4½; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—22/4½, 3d., 2/-, 1/10½, *2/4½, 9d., 7½d., 2/-. **Armstrong**—16/9, 17/3, 3d. **Assoc. Cement**—25/3, 5/-, 1½d., 7½d., 9d., 3½d. **Assoc. Newspapers Def.**—7⅛, 1/16, 7, 3/32, 6, 63-64, 7 3/32, 1/16. **Baldwins Ord.**—18/4½, 1½d., 18/-, 3d. **Barclays Bank "A"**—8 1/16, 1/16, 3/32, ½; **do. "B"**—54/7½, 6d., 9d., 4½d. **Bovril Def.**—29/10½, 30/-. **Brazilian Traction**—47, 6½. **British-American Tobacco**—106/-, 5/9, 6/3, *6d., 7½d., 5/6, 7½d., *5/-, 6/3. **British Controlled Oil**—6/4½, 4d.; **do. Pref.**—6/10½, 11½d., 7/0½. **British Oil and Cake**—26/4½, 6/-, 1½d., 6/-. **Brunner Mond**—39/3, 9/-. **Bryant and May** (x.d.)—47/-, 6/9, 7/1½, 6/9. **B.S.A.**—8/9. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—84½, 5, 4⅞, *3⅞, 5⅛, *4⅛, ⅞, ⅛. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—77⅞, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—79, 8, ⅛, ⅞, ⅛, 7⅞, 8⅞, 9, 8. **Burmah Oil**—87/10½, 9/4, ½d., 8/1½, 9d. **Calico Printers**—27/1½. **Canadian Pacific**—158½, 7⅞, *8½, ⅛, ⅛, 7⅞, ⅛, 8⅛. **Central Argentine Cons.**—69⅞, 70, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 69⅞. **Coats**—69/3, 9d., 9/-. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—20/7½, 3d.; **do. Part. Pref.**—22/1½. **Courtaulds**—60/10½, 1/-, 1½d., 3d., 60/7½, 1/8½. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/10½, 3/1½, 2½d., 3d., 3/-. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—13/0½. **Cunard Ord.**—19/9, 7½d., 6d., 4½d.; **do. Debs.**—105½, ⅛. **Dunlop Ord.**—7/3, 4½d., 6½d., 4½d.; **do. Debs.**—105½, 5. **Edison Swan**—4/4½, 5/-, 4/7½. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—20/1½, *19/9, 20/3, 1½d. **English Sewing Cotton**—47/9. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—48/6, 3d., 1½d. **General Electric Ord.**—19/1½, *18/7½, 9d.; **do. Debs.**—104½. **Great Western Rail.**—111⅞, 11, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—104⅞, ⅛, ⅛. **Harrod's Ord.**—32/-, *1/9, 2/3. **Highlands Rubber**—*24/4½. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5⅛, 11/16, 11/16. **Imperial Tea**—37/-, 6/6, 7/-. **Imperial Tobacco**—73/9, 3/-, *2/6, 3/1½, 4½d., 2/10½, 9d., 3/6, 7½d., 2/10½, *3/-; **do. Canada**—25/6. **Jute Industries**—6/4½. **Kern River Oil** (x.d.)—14/10½, 15/1½, 3d., 2½d., ½d., 9d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—21/7½, 11½d., 9d., 2/-, 1/7½, 2/-; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—21/2½, 3d., 1½d., 1/-, 1½d.; **do. 7 p.c. Debs.**—106⅞. **Linggi Rubber**—33/3, 1½d. **Lipton Ord.**—28/10½, 9/1½, 9/-. **Lloyds Bank**—60/1½, 3d., 4½d. **Lobitos Oil**—6 11/16, 1/16. **London Joint City Bank**—8 1/16, ⅛, 11/16, 3/32, ⅛. **London, Midland, and Scottish Ord.**—*106, ⅛, 1/16, 6, ⅛, ⅛, 11/16, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛. **London and North-Eastern Pref. Ord.**—87, ⅛, 6⅞, ⅞, 7 1/16, 6⅞, *⅞; **do. Def. Ord.**—33⅛, 3, 1/16, ⅛, 2⅞, 3 1/16, 1/16, 2⅞, *⅞. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—98/9, 9/3, 4½d.; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—24/9, 5/-, 4/10½, 5/-. **Malayalam Rubber**—29/4, ½d., 30/-, 29/6, 10½d., 4½d., 30/-. **Marconi Ord.**—45/-; **do. Debs.**—105⅛, ⅛, 5, 6; **do. Canada**—7/4½. **Maypole Def.**—56/3, 3½d. **Metropolitan Rail.**—78⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 11/16, 9, 8½. **Metropolitan District**—55⅞, ⅞, 6, ⅛, 5⅞, ⅞, 1/16, 6, ⅛. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—21/10½, 9d., 7½d., 2/-, *4/3, *3/10½, 1/9, *3/7½, *4/1; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—15/-, 14/11½, 10½d. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£3½)**—9⅞, 11/16; **do. (£4)**—11 11/16, ⅞, 1/16, 11/16. **Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.**—21/-, 3d., 1½d., 4½d. **Niger 8 p.c. Pref.**—14/7½. **Nobel Indus.**—20/3, *19/9, 20/1½, 19/10½; **do. Pref.**—*20/-, ½d., 19/10½; **do. Deferred**—7/6; **do. Debs.** (x.d.)—104½, *3, *5½, 3. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—28⅞, ⅞, *⅞. **Phœnix Oil**—*17/-, 3d., 9d., 7½d., 18/3, 18/-, 17/-, 9d., 18/1½. **Platt Bros. Ord.**—*36/-, 4½d. **Radio Corp. Pref.**—15/4½. **Royal Dutch**—30⅛, 30, 1/16, 29⅞. **Royal Mail Steam 6½ p.c. Pref.**—111⅛. **Rubber Trust**—27/4½, 9d., 6d., 1½d., 7/-, 9d., *4½d., 3d., 6d. **Selfridge Ord.**—27/1½. **Shell**—69/0½, 7/6, 8/9, 9/4½, 6/6½, 70/-. **Smithfield and Argentine**—11/5½, 6d. **Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.**—87⅞, ⅞, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—40⅞, *1, 40⅞, *⅛, 11/16, ⅞, ⅞; **do. Ord. "B"**—12⅞, 13, ⅛, 13. **Tankers Pref.**—5/6. **Turkish Unified**—20⅞, ⅞, 1 1/16, 20⅞. **Underground Elec.**—72/6, 1/3, 2/2½, 1/10½, 6d., 70/7½. **Underground Income Bonds**—101⅛, 1, 100⅞, ⅛, ⅛, 1⅛, 100⅛, ⅛. **United Dairies**—34/-, 3/10½, 9d., 4/3, 3/9. **United of Havana Rail.**—75⅛, 4⅞, 5⅛, ⅞. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—10/5½, 6d. **United Serdang Rubber**—3/3, 4d., 5d., 3½d. **United Tobacco**—66/-, 5/-, 7½d., 6/1½. **Uroz Oil**—4/6, 7½d., 5/-, 4/9, 6½d. **Vickers**—13/10½, 9d., 4½d., 5½d., 10½d., 3d. **V.O.C. Holdings**—29/8½, 30/-, *29/3, 30/7½, 1/6½, 10½d., 3d. **Westminster Bank**—17 1/16, ⅞, ⅞, 11/16, *⅞, *1/16. **Whiteley (Wm.)**—54/-, *4/-. **Workman Clark Debs.**—31½, 30½, 1½, 1. **Bass Ord.**—36/9, *6d.

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PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Cycle Shares better on Olympia reports. New Hudsons, 14/-. Austin Fourth Debentures now 48½. Austins, 1/3; Bluemels, 42/6; Calthorpes, 5/-; Components, 4/9; S.T.D., 6/-; Enfields, 24/1½; Humbers, 25/6; Rolls Royce, 30/3; Rovers, 15/6; Singers, 22/6; Standards, 43/-; Swifts, 5/6; Triumphs, 28/9; Vauxhalls, 6/-; Dunlops, 7/7½; Parent Deferred, 23/6; Harper Bean, 1/3; Calcott, 40/-.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles showed an improving tendency. Bleachers, 47/-47/6; do. Pref., 22/3-22/6; Calicos, 27/3-27/9; do. Pref., 17/6-18/-; Dyers, 55/6-56/-; do. Pref., 19/9-20/-; Cottons, 48/-48/6; do. Pref., 20/-20/3; Spinners, 48/6-49/-; do. Pref., 19/9-20/-; "Slubbers," 8/-8/3; Coats, 69/6-70/- Ship Canal, 8⅛-8⅜; do. Pref., 8⅛-8⅜; Velvets, 26/6-27/-.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 13⅛, 11/16, ⅛, ⅛, 11/16; British General, 38/6, 9/-, 7/6, 9d.; Commercial Union, 19⅛, 1/16, 1/16, £19 4/-, 19⅛; Employers' Liability, 88/-, 6d., 9d., 9/6; London and Lancs., 16⅞, 11/16, ⅞, ⅞; Royal Exchange, 485, 2⅛, 3⅛, 90⅛; Scottish Union, 10 1/16, 1/16, 1/16; Prudential, 15 11/16 16; do. "B," 22/6, 9d., 10½d., 3/3, 2/6.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance Assurance, 276/6, 7 6, 80/-; Commercial Union (x.d.)—19 1/16, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛, ⅛; Eagle, Star, and British—13; Employers' Liability, 39/3, 6d., 3d., 6d.; Guardian Assurance, 138/3; London and Lancashire (x.d.)—9 1/16; North British, 16⅞, 17; Northern Assurance, 15⅞, 16; Phoenix Norwich (x.d.)—234/6; Royal Insurance, 24⅞, 5, 4⅞, 5; Scottish Union, 10⅛; Sea Insurance, 3 1/16, ⅛; Yorkshire Insurance (x.d.)—11 11/16, 11/16.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

LESS BUSINESS.

There was less business passing in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets yesterday, and irregularity was generally displayed. Electrics held their ground. Bieckerts continued their upward movement in the Brewery list, and among Hotels Frederick Prefs. were supported. Steadiness characterised Nitrates, further improvements being seen. In sympathy with the rise in Associateds, and also on the maintenance of the interim distribution, British Portland Cements came into favour, and closed 1s. 4½d. higher on balance at 29s. 4½d., business being recorded at 30s. Associateds continued in demand and further improved to 25s. 6d., though the First and Second Debs. both lost ½, the former at 86 and the latter at 96½. Wm. Griffiths were not so good at 25s. Elsewhere in the Miscellaneous trading section, Boots Drug exhibited firmness, fully recovering the deduction of the dividend and closing at 5 1/16. African and Easterns met with support and moved up 9d. to 30s. 9d. Losses of 3d. took place in Dunlop Prefs. to 14s. 9d., and in Mappin and Webb Prefs. to 15s. 3d.; Swedish Match improved to 8½. Sena Sugars strengthened to 23s., and Crosse and Blackwells moved up to 3s. 3d. United Dairies further recovered to 34s. Among Land Shares, Duff Developments weakened to 9s. 7½d., and Forestals eased to 21s. 6d.

Profit-taking was responsible for a set-back in Pease and Partners to 27s., which left them 9d. lower on balance. Dorman Longs and Ebbw Vales both lost 3d. at 15s. 3d. and 11s., respectively. Baldwins, however, improved to 18s. 3d., J. Brown fully-paid to 17s. 6d., and Cammell Lairds to 14s. 3d., while Platt Bros. strengthened to 36s. 9d. Kerr Stuarts met with support and rose to 25s. 3d.; Tata Debs. further recovered to 84. Shipping issues hardly moved, though Cairn Lines shed 3d. to 16s. 9d. The Marconi group remained firm at previous levels. Renewed selling of Cellulose Ord. led to a fall of 9d. to 9s. 6d., though the Prefs. kept steady at 11s. 9d., and Courtaulds were maintained at 61s. Trifling declines occurred in Bradford Dyers Prefs. to 19s. 9d., and in Dyestuffs Prefs. to 8s. 1½d. Bleachers were wanted and rose 6d. to 47s. 6d., while the Prefs. hardened to 22s. 3d. Slight improvements occurred in Slubbers to 8s. 3d., in Calico Printers Prefs. to 17s. 9d., and in Fine Spinners to 2 7/16. In the Banking section, National Provincial £3 10s. improved to 9⅞ and Barclays B to 54s. 9d. Bank of Australasia and National of South Africa both lost ⅛ at 13⅛ and 5⅞, respectively. Insurances maintained a firm appearance. Several shares were quoted ex the dividend. In Tobaccos, B.A.T.'s closed 3d. easier at 106s., after being down to 105s. 3d. at one time, and Imperials also lost that much at 73s 3d. Foodstuffs mostly kept up, Van Den Berghs hardening to 1⅜, while Schweppes and the Deferred rose 1/16 each to 1 and 11/16, respectively. Recent issues were inactive.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

A rather easier tone all round was the general rule in the London Stock markets yesterday, the result more of continued inactivity than of any special factor, and price movements were in the main within narrow limits. Home Funds were steadier than on the preceding day, and contrasted with India Stocks, which were put down throughout the list for the first occasion for some time. Losses in this section ranged from ⅛ to ⅛. Alterations in Home Railway Group Stocks were also in the downward direction, but movements here were also small, the maximum being ⅛. "Underground" Stocks, the high prices of which are tempting to holders, also reacted, although Metropolitans and Districts continued their advance, the firmness of the latter being, in fact, the outstanding feature of this market. Foreign Bonds were singularly colourless, virtually the only characteristic being the generally easier tendency of Brazils and the flatness of Turkish Unified. French Rentes sagged.

We are officially informed that the old-established distillery business of John Watney, Ltd., of Wandsworth, has been reorganised. The two senior partners of the firm have retired, and the business will be conducted in future by Bertram Watney, in conjunction with Booth's Distillery, Ltd., who have acquired the controlling interest held by the retailing partners.

We are authoritatively informed that the Board of Directors of the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, Ltd.—one of the largest mercantile and warship building and engineering firms on the Clyde—has been reconstituted. Mr. R. A. Workman and Sir Edward MacKay Edgar, Bart., have retired from the Board, and Sir Alexander M. Kennedy has become Chairman of the Board, while retaining his previous appointment as managing director.

The annual meeting of the Council of Associated Stock Exchanges, under the presidency of Mr. A. Linney Arnold, Chairman of Manchester Stock Exchange, was held at Windermere on the 12th October, 1923, and at that meeting the following resolutions, *inter alia*, were passed:—"That for the convenience of shareholders in making up their income tax returns, the administration be requested to approach companies which are in the habit of paying their dividends free of tax, with a view to induce them to print on the back of the warrants (a) the gross amount; (b) the amount of income tax and rate; and (c) the net amount in respect of, say, one, ten, and 100 shares." "That this Council again places on record its conviction that the principle of dividing commission with agents is detrimental to the interest of both principal and broker." The Administration for the year 1923/24 has been undertaken by Liverpool, and Mr. J. Corbett Lowe, Chairman of the Liverpool Stock Exchange, was appointed President.

The *Manchester Guardian Commercial*, in this week's issue, in an article on "New Possibilities for Wireless," says:—Wireless on railways is becoming a practical thing, and experiments carried out on the Continent with the object of developing the system of duplex radio telephony on trains have been strikingly successful. Wireless on trains is, in the matter of equipment, a more or less simple matter. It will not be quite so easy to fit up motor road vehicles with an efficient installation, but that it will come is a possibility, if not, indeed, a probability. It will be a useful application. One can almost visualise a number of vehicles, corresponding in a sense to the tramp steamer, which would be constantly under the control of the head office, and would travel the country over, picking up and delivering goods, possibly for weeks on end, without seeing headquarters.

MINING REPORT.

The Selukwe Gold Mining and Finance Company's report for September states that a total of 306 feet of drifting was carried out, the whole of this being on the No. 2 level. No. 2 level—The No. 201 crosscut was advanced, so that the face is now 420 feet from the portal. The first 60 feet from the portal was in overburden. The next 280 feet was in sheared porphyry, which had to be timbered, and from then on to the face the tunnel has been in solid porphyry. A large fault was encountered close to the present face.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE, North Circular road, Thursday.—An increase of just 722 cattle did not interfere with the stability of market, whilst a heavy reduction of over 2,000 entrants in sheep branch failed to give any fresh stimulus to business. In fact, for the nicer qualities of bullocks prices were the turn better to, perhaps, occasionally 1s. dearer, whilst sheep were a good 2s. to 4s. per head lower over the week. There was a fair attendance of buyers and a big offtake of cattle for shipment and home consumption, but sheep and lamb trade was almost exclusively confined to local victuallers' requirements. There was much disappointment amongst exporters owing to the postponement of intended direct steamer from the Liffey to Liverpool, but there is apparently less difficulty than before in getting stock away by the circuitous routes for shipment from Northern ports. Londonderry is making a big record with regard to live stock shipments.

	Number on offer this week as compared with last.		Corresponding weeks of 1922.	1921.
Cattle	4,442	increase 722	6,625	6,059
Sheep and lambs	5,193	decrease 2,157	7,887	6,892
Veal calves	4	decrease 7	6	8

Prime qualities of bullocks in distinctly better request, and 43s. to 45s. and occasionally 46s. per cwt. was more frequently recorded in the tip-top range than previously. In some instances prices showed an appreciation of 1s. per cwt. The heavier and coarser descriptions of bullocks, however, were just as hard as before to negotiate, as shippers presented a rather wary attitude, and were not disposed to pay more money. Prices for heavy class cattle from 38s. to 41s., and occasionally 42s. per cwt. Heifers have again become relatively hard to cash; values do not compare so favourably with bullocks. Best classes of heifers averaged 40s. to 42s. 6d. per cwt., and supergrade sorts around 43s. to 44s. 6d. per cwt. For lean and common descriptions of cattle prices were anywhere from 34s. to 37s. 6d., according to merit. At commencement of market there was a good inquiry for really choice beef cows, which made from 34s. to 36s. 6d.; in a few fancy instances 37s. 6d. and 38s. per cwt., but practically no trade for old and thin classes of cows.

The sheep and lamb trade proved distinctly slow and depressed. The inquiry for breeding ewes and store sheep, so helpful previously to market, having subsided, trade was altogether for butchering purposes. In the circumstances, the reduced supply of ovine stock proved far in excess of requirements, thus adding a tedious routine to business. Nice quality butchers' ewes sold fairly at a price, but wethers were a disappointing trade. Generally the market was 2s. to 3s. or 4s. worse for sheep. Choice qualities of mutton figured from 10½d. to 1s. per lb., other descriptions, say, 9d. to 10d. per lb. Lambs, as a whole, continue very slow and discouraging trade, but nice fat qualities, value, say, 50s. to 60s. each, commanded satisfactory patronage. The heavier classes of lambs, although slow, made up to 65s. and 70s. and 72s. each. These would possibly stand butchers 11d. to 1s. per lb., although we were assured in one case that certain qualities of lambs would stand 1s. 2d. per lb. Thin and small lambs from, say, 22s. 6d. to 36s. and 38s. each; fair to medium kinds, 42s. to 48s. each. Only a few veal calves featuring, which were of little general interest.

DUBLIN DAIRY CATTLE (North Circular road), Thursday.—Following several important fairs, a much larger supply of springing and milch cattle were drafted in here to-day, there being 325 exhibits, or 162 more than previously. With many dairymen in quest of fresh stockers for winter housing, a good sale was experienced for tip-top quality kinds of outstanding merit, perfect points, and extra bag capacity. For such terms ranged from £28 to £33, and in one or two cases up to £34 and £35 was recorded. Best average dairy beasts £24 to £27, small and ordinary £15 to £21 and £22 each.

DUBLIN PIG (North Circular road), Thursday.—The register of entries of swine for sale here totalled 927 head, an increase of 22 on last week's supply. With bacon factories everywhere again commenced or about commencing operations, buyers showed less reserve and hesitation in taking up suitable lots of hogs, and with a better tone reflected from country fairs, values recovered to some extent in prime classes of 10 to 14 stone hogs, and generally maintained improved buoyancy. Certain classes of jobbers' pigs only were difficult to cash. On choice pork weight hogs prices were, perhaps, 2/6 to 5/- per cwt. dearer, but little actual change otherwise established. Choice sizeable to stout hogs 76/- to 80/- per cwt., fancy, perhaps, 82/6; medium and heavy 72/6 to 75/-, heavy and coarse 67/6 to 70/-, inferior and coarse sows, say, 55/- to 65/-. Stores a poor sale; some small weight hogs were in request for London.

GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Strathmore Auction Company reports:—Good supplies of Irish fat cattle at Merklands Wharf on Monday, with improved attendance of local and provincial buyers. All classes met better demand at prices in advance of last week. Best bullocks and heifers, 46/- to 52/-, up to 55/- in exceptional cases; secondary, 42/- to 45/-; bulls, 35/- to 42/-; cows, 25/- to 40/-. A fine show of Irish store cattle, principally polled bullocks and stirks, offered on Wednesday. Large attendance of feeders from wide radius, and firm trade resulted.—(Advt.)

GLASGOW MARKET REPORT, 17th October, 1923.—Hegarty and Kelly, 275 Duke street, Glasgow, report short supplies of fat cattle into-day's market. For all classes there was a steady demand at recent currencies. Sheep and lambs made late rates. Telegrams—Hegarty, Glasgow.—(Advt.)

BIRMINGHAM, Thursday.—Pigs in good supply and business improved, late rates being firmly maintained. Quotations per score dead weight:—Sizeable bacons 14/6 to 15/-, small pigs 15/- to 16/-, sows 12/-.

BRISTOL, Thursday.—Owing to restrictions market still closed. Prices quoted at other market outside restricted area 97/- per cwt. for beef; mutton 1/3 to 1/4, lamb 1/6 per lb.

LEVER'S Linseed, Cotton Compound, Coconut, Palm Nut Cakes, and Meals, Pig Meal. Immediate delivery from Dublin. Agent—William Rourke, 36 North Circular road, Dublin. —(Advt.)

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (THE BALTIC), Thursday.—WHEAT—Cargo market remains very dull, with quotations in a great measure nominal, though some concession in price is necessary to arrange business. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Oct. shipment from Atlantic ports sellers 44/6; Pacific Jan. 44/-. Australian afloat sellers 43/9, Jan.-Feb. 45/-. Rosafe 62½lbs. afloat 43/9, Jan.-Feb. 44/9. Parcels dull, and Manitobas sold at easier rates: No. 1 Northern ditto Oct. sold 43/6 to 43/3, Oct.-Nov. 42/6; Australian Dec. sellers 45/3, Jan.-Feb. 44/9; Rosafe 62½lbs. afloat 43/9, Jan.-Feb. 41/6 per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes dull, unaltered. Parcels dull: Plate Oct.-Nov. sellers 34/9, Dec.-Jan. 35/3; No. 6 yellow African Oct.-Nov. 35/- per 480lbs. BARLEY—This market produced no new feature either in the case of cargoes or parcels, recent rates being repeated, but buyers do not respond. OATS steady, but quiet; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 21/4½, Dec.-Jan. 21/-; No. 2 Canadian Western Oct. 26/6, No. 2 feed ditto 23/9 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—WHEAT—With the weakness in America, and liberal shipments for past week reported from Russia, speculative positions of wheat here showed a fair decline at the outset, and further receded, owing to continued free offerings of c.i.f. parcels of Manitoba and lack of inquiry, and, though finishing slightly over the worst point, marked a liberal decline on the day. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba afloat sold at 43/9, November 42/3 to Liverpool, and 15th November at 42/6. No. 3 Manitoba arrived and No. 2 red winter 42/6 to Manchester. C.i.f. parcels River Plate September-October and October-November sold at 34/10½ to 34/9, November-December 35/- per qr. Wheat on the spot was quiet, and prices ruled in favour of buyers. MAIZE—Spot parcels quietly steady at 7/8 to 7/8½ for River Plate, and yellow South African, with white, 7/8 to 7/9 per cental. FLOUR steady, without alteration in value. Graded red wheat futures opened ½d. to ¼d. per cental lower, further gave way until ¾d. to ½d. decline had been registered, but recovered slightly, closing ½d. to ½d. under last night. Maize options nominal.

BRISTOL, Thursday.—Fair supply of English wheat, dealers holding for full prices; best 41/- per qr. Foreign quiet; prices fully maintained; 51/6 for No. 1 Northern Manitobas. Grinding barley steady; demand unaltered. Maize in request, favouring buyers. Oats firm, 6d. higher.

MANCHESTER, Thursday.—English wheat 9/6 to 10/3 per cwt. Maize—Plate spot 7/11 to 7/11½, white South African 8/1. English oats 9/- to 9/6. New English beans 9/10 to 10/2. English feeding barley 8/6 to 9/-, all delivered Manchester.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—BACON—Irish bacon continues somewhat nominal, awaiting regular supplies, but the brands on offer at present are held for higher prices of 104/- to 106/- per cwt., which is the same, Danish latter having been raised to this level to-day, with a fair business doing. Canadian Wiltshires also firm and dearer, in sympathy with other long sides, and prices advanced to 88/- to 91/- per cwt. American selections of bacon here, with the exception of Wiltshires, which are still in fair demand and dearer at 78/- to 84/- per cwt., remain quiet, with an easy tendency, backs being reduced to 76/- 83/-, bellies 70/- to 76/-, though Cumberlands said to be more inquired for at the recent decline. Chicago cables easier, and arrivals of bacon at this port on a liberal scale. HAMS firm, and in fair request for short cut at higher prices of 87/- to 95/- per cwt. Shoulders quiet for squares, but picnics again moderately active at late rates. LARD on the spot were sparingly offered at fully late rates for prime steam, while American refined is raised 6d. to 75/- to 76/- per cwt., with a moderate demand. CHEESE less active at late rates, coloured being most in request. BUTTER quiet at about late currencies. EGGS firmer; Irish hen held at 18/- to 21/6, duck 21/- to 22/6, Danish 21/- to 23/-, and Polish 12/9 to 13/- per 120.

PATRICK KEHOE, LTD., Irish Bacon Curers and Lard Refiners. Importers of American Provisions. (Estd. 100 years).—103 FRANCIS ST., DUBLIN.—(Advt.)

REFINED LARD FUTURES—LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—The decline in Chicago had no influence here, as sellers offered sparingly during the early session, and, with a demand from shorts to cover in near positions, an advance of 9d. per cwt. was released, but January was unchanged: October delivery made 75/- to 75/3, November 74/3 to 74/6, and January 65/6 per cwt. Values receded in the afternoon on easier cables, closing 6d. per cwt. higher to 6d. lower on the day. October sold at 75/-, November 74/3 to 73/9, January 65/- per cwt.

CANADIAN CHEESE FUTURES—LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—Offerings were again made somewhat freely, but prices were irregular, current month being 6d. to 1/- per cwt. lower for white and coloured at 111/- to 116/-, but other white makes unchanged at 112/- for November, and 115/- December, while 116/-, or 1/- advance, was asked for November coloured, but no business was concluded.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Thursday.—Irish apples at sales went 16/- to 31/- per barrel and 8/- to 8/6 per keg. Special Bramleys would make more. Market of vegetables about useful mid-week dimensions, and slow. Cauliflowers, 1/3 to 2/6 and 3/3 per dozen; swedes, 1/6, 1/8, to 2/- per cwt.; York cabbage, 16/- to 20/-, 25/-, 30/-, and 33/- per load; kale, 3d. to 10d. per dozen; salad, 4d. to 8d. ditto; marrows, 2/6 to 4/- and 6/6 per dozen; cucumbers, 2/- to 4/-; celery, 3/- to 4/3 per bundle; special white, 5/- and 6/6 ditto; white turnips, 1d. to 2d. and 4d. per bundle; sprouts, 3/- to 4/- per float; carrots, 1/3 to 1/6 and 2/- per dozen bunches; parsley, 6d. to 8d. per lot; tomatoes, 4d. to 8d. and 10d. per lb.

DUBLIN POTATO, Thursday.—The supplies of potatoes continue to come forward on a very moderate scale, and choice qualities are difficult to get enough of. City values remain from 7/- to 7/6 per cwt for best table tubers, and occasionally extra picked parcels of Queens 8/- per cwt.

CORK BUTTER, Thursday.—The market is quiet, steady and featureless. Choicest salted 190/- per cwt., creameries 185/- to 188/-, choicest mild 184/-, special dairies extra, farmers' fresh 145/-.

DUBLIN FISH, Thursday.—Fairly good supply of country and local fish, including nearly 400 boxes of mixed stuff, from four steamers, eight chests lobsters, about 150 boxes herrings, and a few of mackerel. Trade good. Best lobsters, 20/- to 25/- per 13; seconds, 10/- to 12/6; others, 2/6 to 7/6 per lot; turbot, 1/- to 25/- and 30/-; brill, 6d. to 4/- and 5/- each; best soles, 40/- to 65/- per 9 and 9 pairs; mediums, 22/6 to 35/-; slips, 5/- to 15/- per 4 pairs; large plaice, 6/- to 10/- per 4 and 5; others, 5/- to 6/- per 3; half-boxes plaice, 60/- to 110/- and 120/-; codfish, 70/- to 110/-; hake, 45/- to 100/- and 110/-; haddocks, 30/- to 85/-; pollock, 30/- to 45/-; ling, 20/- to 30/-; conger eels, 16/- to 25/- and 30/-; ray, 15/- to 25/-; herrings, 12/6 to 20/- and 22/6.

GRIMSBY FISH, Thursday.—Fifty-nine North Sea, four Iceland, one Faroe trawler, and one liner landed poor supply. Demand fair. Plaice 14/-, lemon soles 17/-, halibut 16/- to 18/-, cod 6/- to 8/-, skate 6/- to 8/-, small haddocks 3/6, kit 4/6, gibbed 5/9, dabs 9/-, codlings 6/- to 7/- per stone; soles 2/3, turbot 1/1, brill 1/2 per lb.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Thursday.—Beef quiet, Scotch sides, long 6/8 to 7/4, short 7/8 to 8/4; English sides, 5/4 to 6/-; Argentine chilled hind quarters, 4/8. Mutton occasionally easier; Scotch tegs 8/8 to 9/4, wethers 8/- to 8/8; English wethers, 7/8 to 8/4. Lamb steady; English, 8/4 to 9/-; Scottish hills, 7/4 to 9/-.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Thursday.—SUGAR—Market at the moment furnishes very little matter for comment, business being on a small scale, as the trade in general is not disposed to exceed pressing requirements. On the other hand, the market is but scantily supplied, and this tends to keep prices at a steady level. No change was made in Messrs. Tate and Lyle's quotations; white Java spot sold 53/6, ditto May-June steamer sellers 23/9, and buyers 23/6, c.f.i. terms. Dutch and Belgian sugars for shipment remain more or less nominal. Raw refining kinds in small supply and steady. White terminal market slightly irregular and easier, with business confined to moderate limits; October quoted 27/6, December sold 25/1½ to 25/3 per cwt. COFFEE—There is steady demand, especially for the more attractive qualities, and these command full rates, as available supplies of same have become much reduced of late. Future delivery market firm, but quiet; December quoted 59/3, March 58/3 per cwt. COCOA remains generally quiet; Accra F/F quality November-January quoted 28/-, f.o.b. terms, per cwt. TEA—6,500 packages Java and Sumatra were auctioned, and met a strong market. Leaf teas were ½d. per lb. dearer, while all tippy invoices commanded extreme figures. Pekoe sold 1/2 to 1/6, broken ditto 1/3½ to 1/6, Pekoe Souchong 1/3½ to 1/5½, orange Pekoe 1/5½ to 1/8⅛, broken ditto 1/3⅛ to 1/9½ per lb. in bond. New season's China selling with fair freedom, particularly finer Keemuns.

RICE—There is no new feature to note, general trade being very quiet; two stars spot value 13/9, October-November 14/-. Japanese peas, spot 23/9 per cwt. Rangoon bran, October-December sellers 112/6, and buyers 110/- per ton ex ship terms London-Liverpool. SPICE—Pepper steady, but demand is quiet; fair black Singapore October-December L.S. quoted 4½d. Muntok ditto 6½d. sellers. Zanzibar Cloves, October-December 1/2⅛ per lb. TAPIOCA held for late prices, but buyers are not much in evidence. Sago Flour, October-December Liverpool sellers 13/6. Desiccated Cokernut—Halves afloat sold 41/3 per cwt. JUTE—This market took a further rather sharp downward turn on some pressure being shown to sell; first grade October-November Continent sold £21 10/-, November-December £21 17/6 to £21 15/-, December-January £22 5/- to £22, January-February £22 5/- per ton. Hessians and twills quiet, unaltered. HEMP—The market for Manila developed more activity than for some considerable time past, buying orders from ropemakers circulating with freedom, and prices advanced all round, but more particularly so with regard to J grade. About 7,000 bales changed hands; streaky ones November-January, also January-March shipments, at £41 10/-, ditto twos £40, threes £36 15/-, J grade £31 5/- to £31 10/-, K £26 to £26 5/-, L £25 10/- to £25 15/-, ditto house mark at £26, M grade at £23 10/- to £23 15/-, G quoted £36, and H £32 10/-. African Sisal steady, with few offers from shippers; No. 1 Tanganyika afloat quoted £36 per ton.

RUBBER—With increased support accorded and more reserve on the part of sellers a steadier tone ensued; standard plantation crepe and sheet spot, also Oct. delivery, sold 1/1½ to 1/2, Nov. 1/2 to 1/2⅛, Dec. 1/2⅛ to 1/2⅛, Jan.-Mar. 1/2⅛ to 1/2⅛, and April-June 1/2⅛ to 1/3⅛. To New York—Standard sheet European estate Oct.-Nov. sold 1/2, Nov.-Dec. 1/2⅛, and Dec.-Jan. 1/2⅛ c.i.f. terms; fine hard Para spot 1/1, soft fine 1/1, caucho ball 1/1½ per lb. EGG PRODUCTS—Market very quiet on about former terms; albumen spot 3/11 per lb. OILS—Linseed quiet, and forward slightly weaker; spot quoted 42/-, Nov.-Dec. 39/9, Jan.-April sold 36/4½. Rape and Cotton unaltered. Cocoanut easy; Ceylon spot 46/-, Oct.-Nov. 44/. China Wood easier; Hankow spot 93/-, Nov.-Dec. 94/. Market for turpentine proved dull and weaker; spot American quoted 75/3, Nov.-Dec. 74/-, Jan.-April 74/9 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed slow for Indian, but there was a moderate demand for Plate, with new crop showing weakness; Calcutta Sept.-Oct. sellers £21 10/-, Oct.-Nov. £21. Plate Dec.-Jan. sold £17 to £16 17/6, Jan.-Feb. £16 7/6. Rapeseed quietly steady; Toria Oct.-Nov. sellers £17 5/-; real bold Ferozepore do. Hambur sold £17 2/6. Cottonseed quiet, but steady; Egyptian black Oct. to Hull quoted £11 12/6, Nov. £11 2/6, and Bombay Dec.-Jan. £9 5/- per ton.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Thursday.—There is a good business doing in ready sugars, which are bringing steady prices.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BRADFORD WOOL, Thursday.—Business has quietened a little, but prices remain very firm, and crossbreds of fifties quality and below are against the buyer. Sixty-fours are generally quoted at 62d., forty-sixes at 18d., and forties 17d. Both top makers and spinners are well situated for orders in crossbred sorts, but botany qualities are neglected.

GLASGOW PIG IRON, Thursday.—Stagnation in shipbuilding reflected in poor demand for steel plates. Prices for sections keenly cut to secure business. Steel sheetmakers of lighter gauges for abroad and galvanisers moderately busy. Slightly improved demand for steel bars. Scrap firmer owing to restricted supplies and better buying. Heavy smelting steel scraps 85/- per ton.

(London Metals Market and London Freights will be found on Page 7.)

THE MONEY MARKET

LOANS SCARCE.

EXCHANGES HEAVY.

Contrasts were still provided by conditions in Lombard street, there still being a scarcity of funds, but instead of hardening discounts contrarily weakened. Sometimes 3 p.c. was demanded for night money, but 2¾ was more common, with the charge for renewals 2¾, fixtures going on at 2½. The Bank return, it may be noted, shows a further contraction of nearly £1,000,000 in market resources, which are now less than 104 millions. As regards discounts, the tone was weak owing to the demand for bills, the new Treasuries being hardly better than 3 p.c., while the scarcity of fine three months' bank paper, for which there was still some demand, caused the quotation to be weak at 3⅛ p.c., with 3 1/16 mentioned. One of the banks wanted November paper at 2 15/16 p.c., but could not get it better than 2⅞.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 5, 1923, 4%.

60 days (fine)	3⅛	3⅛		
3 months	3⅛	3 1/16	Trade 4	4½%
4 months	3⅛	3⅛	4¼	4½%
6 months	3⅛	3⅛	4¼	4½%
Loans to brokers day-to-day			2¾	2⅞%
for a week				2½%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				2%
Discount houses, at call				2%
at notice				2¼%

Gold rose 2d. per oz. to 91s. 4d. Silver was unchanged for both spot and forward delivery at 31⅞d. per oz. and 31 13/16d. respectively.

A heavy tone prevailed in the market for foreign exchange, and values were inclined to weaken all round, the German situation being discouraging. Sterling fell away further on New York to $4.52⅞-$4.52⅞, while German marks were worse than ever at 29-31 milliards for the £. Francs were still offered, and the rate on Paris worsened to 75.35-75.45 and on Belgium to 87.15-87.25, with Italy 99⅞-100. Brazilian milreis remained very weak, being 5-5⅛, while Argentine dollars reacted to 39-39⅛ and Chilian pesos to 38.00. Dutch currency gained in value, being 11.53⅞-54⅛, while Spain reacted to 33.40-33.43, Norway being rather steadier at 29.15-29.20. Rupees presented a firmer appearance at 1s. 4 11/16d.-1s. 4 11/16d., and Japanese yen were better at 2s. 1 11/16d.-2s. 1⅞d. Polish marks were still depressed at 4-5 millions, Rumania being 950-970, Greece 285-295, and Vienna 315,000-323,000. The following are closing quotations:—

—	October 18.		October 17.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛		97⅛		97½d
Amsterdam	11.54⅝	11.55	11.55	11.55¼	12.10
B. Ayres	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛	47.58
Barcelona	33.48	33.50	33.32	33.34	25.22
Berlin	22½ Milliards		24½ Milliards		20.40
Bombay	1/4½	1/4½	1/4½	1/4½	2/0
Brussels	87.15	87.25	87.10	87.20	25.22½
Calcutta	1/4½	1/4½	1/4½	1/4½	2/0
Christiania	29.15	29.20	29.27	29.30	18.15
Copenhagen	25.77	25.79	25.80	25.85	18.15
Czecho-Slov	151½	152	151½	152½	—
Finland	169½	169¾	169½	170½	25.22½
Greece	288	291	292	296	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/3	2/3⅛	2/3	2/3⅛	—
Hungary	75,000	95,000	75,000	90,000	—
Italy	99⅝	100⅛	99¾	99⅞	25.22½
Lisbon	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	53⅛d.
Madrid	33.49	33.51	33.37	33.39	25.22½
Mexico	25d		25d		24⅛d.
Montreal	4.58	4.58⅛	4.59⅛	4.59⅝	4.86
Montevideo	38⅞	39⅛	38⅞	39⅛	51d.
New York	4.52⅝	4.53	4.53⅛	4.53⅜	4.86
Paris	74.40	74.50	75.00	75.10	25.22
Poland	4,500,000		4,500,000		—
RiodeJan	5	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	16d.
Roumania	955	975	965	985	—
Shanghai	3/0½	3/1⅛	3/0½	3/1⅛	—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4⅛
Stockholm	17.17	17.19	17.16	17.18	18.15
Switzerland	25.20	25.24	25.23	25.25	25.22
Valparaiso	38.00		37.50		13.33
Vienna	315,000	325,000	320,000	325,000	—
Yokohama	2/1⅛	2/1⅞	2/1⅛	2/1⅞	54.

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 37,500,000,000.

RUBBER DEAL.

UNITED SERDANG'S SUMATRA ACQUISITION.

Messrs. Harrisons and Crosfield, Ltd., secretaries, state that United Serdang (Sumatra) Rubber Plantations, Ltd., has agreed to acquire from the Rubber Plantations Investment Trust its rubber estates in Sumatra, comprising 3,013½ acres of mature rubber and 437 acres of reserve land, as from September 1, in exchange for fully-paid United Serdang shares at par, on terms which the directors consider are satisfactory and equitable as between the two companies.

The vendors are to hand over cash working capital equivalent to that held by the United Serdang Company, approximately £5 9s. 8d. per planted acre, and inclusive of this the newly-acquired estates will stand in the company's books at just under £50 per acre.

A circular to the same effect has been sent to shareholders in the Rubber Plantations Investment Trust, Ltd. It is added that, at the annual meeting of shareholders in June last, the chairman gave particulars of the forward sales which had been made of the greater part of the 1923 crop of tea. The opportunity is now taken of stating that the company has also recently sold forward the whole of its output of tea for the year 1924 at a substantially higher price than that obtained for the 1923 crop, and one which, in the opinion of the directors, will show a satisfactory profit.

AUCTION TO-DAY AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK, COX'S AUCTION ROOMS, AT 12.30 O'CLOCK,

SUPERIOR DUBLIN-MADE FURNITURE,

OVERSTRUNG BABY GRAND AND UPRIGHT PIANOS, SILVER AND PLATED WARE, BEDS AND BEDDING, &c.,

COMPRISING PRINCIPALLY:—BEAUTIFUL OVERSTRUNG BABY GRAND PIANO, BY STINGL BERLIN, IN EBONISED CASE; UPRIGHT OVERSTRUNG IRON-FRAMED COTTAGE DITTO, BY BRINSMEAD, ERARD, ETC.; HAIR-STUFFED CHESTERFIELD SUITES, IN SILK TAPESTRY; SUPERIOR ROSEWOOD CHINA CABINET, INLAID WITH IVORY; 100 OZS. SILVER FORKS AND SPOONS, SEVEN-PIECE SHERATON DRAWINGROOM SUITE, COVERED IN SILK TAPESTRY; DITTO, IN TAPESTRY; OCCASIONAL DRAWINGROOM TABLES AND CHAIRS, RECESS CABINETS, GILT MIRRORS, WALNUT AND OTHER OVERMANTEL GLASSES, SCREW DINING TABLES, IN WALNUT AND MAHOGANY; SETS OF DINING CHAIRS, ROLL-TOP DESK, PEDESTAL OFFICE TABLE, MAHOGANY AND DEAL BOOKCASES, HALL STANDS, CARVED OAK SIDEBOARDS, REVOLVING OFFICE CHAIRS, BEAUTIFUL FRENCH CLOCK SET, CHESTERFIELD AND TWO ARMCHAIRS, IN ANTIQUE REXINE; REGULATION CLOCK, DININGROOM DITTO, DINNER AND TEA SERVICES; BEDROOM FURNITURE, INCLUDING A MAGNIFICENT 6FT. 6IN. SHERATON SUITE, WITH CHEVAL DRESSING CHEST AND LONG SIDE GLASSES, COST 200 GUINEAS; TWO BEAUTIFUL MAHOGANY TWIN BEDS, SEVERAL BEDROOM SUITES, IN MAHOGANY, WALNUT, AND SATIN WALNUT; MAHOGANY DUCHESSE PAIRS AND CHESTS OF DRAWERS, DRESSING TABLES, WASHSTANDS; KITCHEN AND DEAL FURNITURE, DRESSERS, TABLES, CHAIRS; POTS, PANS, AND SAUCEPANS; LINOLEUM, SOME CARPETS, AND NUMEROUS MISCELLANEOUS EFFECTS. GOODS ON VIEW. AUCTION COMMENCES AT 12.30. PIANOS SOLD AT 3.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER & VALUER.

ON VIEW THIS DAY.

SALE TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) AND MONDAY NEXT. HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF SUPERIOR MODERN FURNITURE,

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Comprising principally:—SEVERAL UPRIGHT GRAND IRON-FRAME OVERSTRUNG PIANOFORTES, by EMINENT ENGLISH and GERMAN MAKERS. Also the VALUABLE BAND INSTRUMENTS and MUSIC, &c., of the 5th BATTALION ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS (Sold by Order of Colonel Robinson), and include:—TWO LARGE DRUMS, 2 SIDE DRUMS, BASS VIOLIN (in Case), 7 CLARIONETS, 5 CORNETS, 6 FIFES, 2 PICOLOS, 2 LARGE WIND INSTRUMENTS (in Cases), 12 BRASS HORNS (French and others), TROMBONES and CYMBALS, LEOPARD'S SKIN APRONS, DRUMSTICKS, MUSIC STANDS, &c. &c.; Tennis Nets and Standards, Racquets and Presses, Hockey Sticks. MESSROOM SUNDRIES, including:—Table Cloths, Napkins, Waiters' Suits (Coats and Trousers), Fibre Matting, Dinner, Tea, and Breakfast Ware, Cutlery, Glass, and Plated Ware, and miscellaneous items.

MESSRS. JAMES HILL and SON have been favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, as above, on TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) and MONDAY NEXT, in their Rooms, 9 and 10 BACHELOR'S WALK, the SUPERIOR FURNITURE, &c., including:—Several Upright Grand Cottage Pianofortes, by eminent makers; High-class Mahogany, Walnut, and Oak Sideboards, Cheffoniers, Cabinets, Bookcases and Cabinets, two superior Dark Oak Roll-Top Desks, Drawingroom Cabinets, Chesterfield Suites, Lounge and Easy Chairs, Occasional Chairs and Tables; BEDROOM, DRAWINGROOM, DININGROOM, and HALL SUITES in variety; Overmantel Glasses, Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Washstands, Chests of Drawers, Bedsteads and Bedding, Kitchen Furniture and Culinary Utensils, Pictures, Paintings, Engravings, China, Glass, Plated Ware, &c., &c. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp each day. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Fees. Full particulars in To-morrow's Advertisement.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

FURNITURE SALE, TO-DAY (FRIDAY), 12 O'C., ROSNEY, GLENAGEARY.

HAVING SOLD THE RESIDENCE, WE are further instructed TO SELL BY AUCTION on THIS DAY, a SMALL RESIDUE OF FURNITURE, including a Spinet; also Axminster Carpets, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Baby Prams, Valor Perfection Oil Stove, etc. OUTDOOR EFFECTS, including:—Garden Implements, Iron Roller, Forcing Frames, GREENHOUSE PLANTS, Hen Houses. POULTRY, principally Black Minorcas and Wyandottes; and other miscellaneous items. On View This Morning, 10 to 12 o'clock. Sale 12 o'clock. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees. Delivery after Sale.

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DOMESTICS (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1).

WANTED for country, Protestant Second Housemaid. Apply Hon. Lady Mahon, Castlegar, Ahascragh. 15 F

WANTED, an experienced House Parlourmaid for bachelor establishment; 2 servants kept; wages £30. Apply Captain Harding, Whitechurch, Straffan, Co. Kildare. 17 A

WANTED, Parlourmaid; three other maids.—9 Sunnyside, Princes Park, Liverpool. 17 A

WANTED, good Single Housemaid; needlewoman; young, tall. Reply, by letter only, enclosing copies, Ringwood, 30 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid. Apply 43 Lower Leeson street with references.

WANTED for Galway, House Parlourmaid; two in family; send copies.—Goherty's Registry, Galway.

NURSES WANTED.

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS, and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

EXPERIENCED R.C. Nurse Wanted, take entire charge two children (two years and baby four months), city. Reply, stating wages, B 826, this office. 18 F

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MIDDLE aged Nurse required to take charge of three young children, quiet country place; good home. Address, stating wages, to "Z 1788, Nurse," this office.

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WANTED, near Dublin, superior Protestant Girl, care one baby, 7 months; no nursery and washing; must be experienced and recommended.—B 720, this office. 17 E

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COUNTRY Girl (20) requires situation in small family; has not been out before.—Margaret Kennedy, Kelsha, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow. 15 E

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THOROUGHLY reliable Woman seeks situation as Cook; highest references; would go temporarily.—B 581, this office. 17 A

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EXPERIENCED, nice young General wants situation, Maryborough or Dublin; early dinner. Address "Z 1794, General," this office.

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EXPERIENCED General disengaged, plain cooking, small washing; city or suburbs; £24.—R O 742, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

GENERAL desires situation; business house; good cook; long papers.—B 770, this office.

GENERAL; plain cooking, small washing; suburbs preferred; good papers.—B 769, this office.

SUPERIOR General, disengaged, small family; good plain cook, breadmaker; long discharges.—B 857, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 18 B

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A LADY recommends House Parlourmaid, young; Dublin suburbs; good references.—A., 4 Brisna Cottages, Blackrock. 18 B

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EXPERIENCED young House Parlourmaid disengaged; small family; city, suburbs. Address "Z 1702, House Parlourmaid," this office. 16 F

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SUPERIOR young Girl to train as Parlourmaid or General in small family; Pembroke district; well recommended.—655, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge. 18 F

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FREEHOLD FARMS FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

On the Premises, On FRIDAY, the 26th day of OCTOBER, 1923, At the hour of Two o'clock p.m., The Property of Mr. Henry Harden.

LOT 1—Home Farm, containing 70a. 0r. 25p., Statute measure, held for ever, subject to a Land Commission terminable annuity of £18 7s. 10d. half-yearly. The Lands are in the highest state of cultivation, well fenced, watered, and thoroughly drained. The county road intersects them, giving easy access to each of the fields. There is a large Orchard, stocked with 120 Bramley apple trees and 25 of other kinds—Grenadiers, etc.—all in full bearing.

The Dwellinghouse is large and commodious, two storeys, and slated, containing diningroom, drawingroom, five bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, pantries, etc.

The Out-offices are ample and suitable, and include stabling for three horses, byres for 12 cows, with large loft above; sheds for store bullocks, fowl and potato houses, piggeries, etc.; cart shed, coal and wash houses; also a hay shed, about 50 x 18 x 15 feet. A good spring well, with pump, affords an ample and never-failing supply of water.

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WANTED, a nice Combined Room in a nice small Protestant house for lady and little girl attending school; own cutlery and linen; from 6/- to 8/- per week.—B 740, this office. 17 E

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